



Selectmen reject petition, choose new town counsel

By STEPHEN BJORK

WILMINGTON - The firm of Deutsche, Williams, Brooks, DeRensis & Holland was appointed as Wilmington's new Town Counsel by the majority of the Board of Selectmen on June 16.

The firm will replace current Town Counsel Michael Newhouse on July 1, 2003. The board chose not to re-elect Newhouse during its meeting on May 12 but did include the local lawyer and former selectman in the application and interview processes.

The dissenting votes on the board came from Chairman Michael McCoy, who supported

Kopelman & Paige, and Selectman Robert Palmer, who chose the Law Office of Michael Newhouse.

The selectmen made their decision despite a petition that had been presented to them earlier by residents Charles Fiore and Priscilla Ward. The petition, which had as many as 1,775 signatures, implored the selectmen to re-appoint Newhouse.

"We have heard many times during the past year that the most important aspect of holding public office is to represent the people," Ward told the board upon the presentation of

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Northeast Solid Waste Committee

New trash contract will save town \$800K

By SHAWN P. SULLIVAN

WILMINGTON - Trash disposal is going to get cheaper.

During a meeting of the Board of Selectmen on Monday, June 16, Public Works Superintendent Donald Onusseit recommended that Town Manager Michael Cairra enter a new, less expensive contract for trash disposal with Wheelabrator North Andover (WNA) to take effect in late 2005.

The contract would succeed the one to which Wilmington is currently bound under its membership with 22 other communities on the Northeast Solid Waste Committee (NESWC). The committee, which was formed 18 years ago, is joined in a pact that places it under contract until September of 2005.

Wilmington is but one of many of the 23 communities that will be pleased to see the contract expire. Right now, in Fiscal Year 2003, the town is paying \$145 per ton of trash that it disposes at WNA. According to Onusseit, that figure is one of the highest in the country when it comes to trash disposal.

"The result of this pact has not been favorable to the Town of Wilmington and the other 22 communities," Onusseit stated.

Two years ago, the NESWC Board formed a Strategic Planning Committee that turned its focus to the future of trash disposal once the current contract expires in 2005. The board instructed its committee to ensure that all new disposal agreements would be com-

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HOLY HANDSHAKE. Rico Enos, right, and his wife, Kathie, center, met Bishop Richard G. Lennon on Sunday when they attended a Mass during which the renovation of Saint Dorothy's Church in Wilmington was celebrated.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

St. Dorothy's Church

Bishop Lennon visits renovated church

By AIMEE MAILLETT

WILMINGTON - Parishioners at St. Dorothy's Church on Main Street welcomed Bishop Richard G. Lennon on Sunday, June 15, and celebrated the completion of the renovation of their church.

After six months of attending

the parishioners entered through a sunlit foyer on Sunday and enjoyed the new smell of wood, the view of a marble altar and the sharper acoustics that echoed off the stained-glass windows.

As a result of the renovation, which cost \$1 million, St. Dorothy's Church now features, among many things, a floor of

glossy tiles, refinished pews and more. The donations of parishioners also made much of the beautification possible.

"One lady from the church passed away and left money in her will to give to the church to buy a new piano," says Grace Carol, a member of the Church Council and a singer in the parish choir.

Churchgoers also volunteered to keep Masses flowing smoothly while St. Dorothy's was undergoing its new look. For instance, many parishioners showed up every weekend and rearranged the basement of the church to accommodate seating, so that services could be held there.

"What a lousy job, to set up 250 chairs every Saturday morning and take them down every Sunday afternoon," Reverend Kevin Horrigan stated as he thanked those volunteers during the Mass on Sunday.

The Mass on Sunday began with the entrance of Bishop Lennon, who made his way into the church by passing underneath a row of swords that were held high and joined at their tips by members of the Knights of Columbus.

According to Reverend Horrigan, the initial idea to make over the church sparked about three years ago, after Reverend Rickard O'Donovan passed away. The inspiration came during one of the hottest days of the year, when the lack of air conditioning inside the

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Second book published

Local author never says "Goodbye"

By AIMEE MAILLETT

WILMINGTON - Valerie Cagnina, of Wilmington, so loved romance novels that she sat down at her typewriter at age 16 and set out to write one of her own.

That was 11 years ago. Now, Cagnina, 27, has recently published "Never Say Goodbye," her second book.

Cagnina's first novel, "For Better, For Worse," was pub-

lished when she was 22. The story was the result of those first 50 pages that were produced during her stint at that typewriter when she was a teenager.

"Never Say Goodbye," which took one year to write and another to edit, submit and finally see in print, is a love story based on Cagnina's fasci-

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NEW A.D. Wilmington native Ed Harrison will replace Jim Gillis as WHS Athletic Director this January. See sports section for story.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Mass downstairs in the church,

Mr. Smith's classroom: A River Runs Through It

By TARRYN GUARINO

WILMINGTON - The Shawsheen River is not the only river flowing through Wilmington these days.

For a month and a half, the students in Brian Smith's sixth grade science classes at Wilmington Middle School have been hard at work constructing their own river system, an impressive project that now occupies the entire back half of the classroom. Both teacher and students admit that the endeavor took a lot of team work and concentration, but these 6th graders were certain up to the task.

"This isn't a project I would

be comfortable doing with every class, but these kids have been very responsible and attentive," Smith told parents, who visited the classroom on Thursday, June 5 to view the final project.

And an impressive final project it is. The model river system, made of copper piping laid into a "river bed" of plywood and joint compound, stretches the length of the classroom and cost more than \$350 to complete. Every 6th grade student in Smith's class had a hand in both the design and construction of the river.

"Each student designed their own river systems on paper,

then I took bits and pieces from each to make our final design," Smith notes.

So how does constructing a giant model river, complete with flowing water and rubber fish, aid students in their studies? Smith's students were eager to explain.

"We've been studying a book on rivers this year, and now we've built our own," Erin McMahon, a student, reports. "Seeing it finished was the most fun."

According to Frank Sorrentino, another student, building a river was hard and messy work that was made fun

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MANMADE NATURE. Colin MacDonald shows his mother, Sheila, the river that he and his fellow sixth graders constructed in Mr. Brian Smith's class at the Wilmington Middle School.

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From the Editor's Desk

By Shawn P. Sullivan

Life After Newhouse

The Wilmington Board of Selectmen might want to brush up on some Frank Capra movies.

It's a Wonderful Life.

Mr. Deeds Goes to Town.

Mr. Smith Goes to Washington.

Remember those? They're flicks in which thousands of small town folks rally around a local man to lift him over the top in the challenge of his life. Classics.

During the past couple of weeks, residents Charles Fiore and Priscilla Ward circulated a petition around town that sought to implore local selectmen to re-appoint Michael Newhouse to the position of Town Counsel. Newhouse, who has held that position since 2001, was canned by the Board of Selectmen during a meeting on May 12. The decision sparked outrage in the community, multiple interviews with big city law firms . . . and Fiore's and Ward's petition, which boasted as many as 1,785 signatures.

The petition was presented to the board during its meeting on Monday night. Each selectmen, with the exception of Robert Palmer, rejected the document, which appeared as heavy and as thick as that new Harry Potter book that will hit the shelves this weekend.

In other words, the board thumbed its nose at 1,785 residents. That number of Newhouse supporters is quite an extrapolation from the 17 department heads who stood before the selectmen at their last meeting and vouched for the current town counsel, whom they asserted has handled Wilmington's case load like a true legal eagle.

One thousand, seven hundred and eighty-five folks. That's a lot of voters, friends. Not too smart, selectmen.

The fallout remains to be seen, however. When the Board of Selectmen ultimately chose the firm of Deutsche, Williams, Brooks, DeRensis & Holland to be the new Town Counsel, the decision was not greeted with any notable outrage. Former selectman Robert Cain, who was in the audience, quietly shamed the board for its actions. A few residents in the back muttered "See you in April," which has become the way in which local voters give elected officials a heads-up that their days are numbered. Surely, nobody was surprised by the decision not to pick Newhouse.

That was it, though. And there could be a reason for that.

Most of Newhouse's supporters at Monday's meeting were department heads and other officials who, as professionals, have to carry themselves with more restraint and decorum and have to accept controversial decisions so that the town can move forward and get work done. Quite simply, these folks can't carry themselves with the freedom of emotion and flamboyance afforded to residents who opposed Newhouse's appointment two years ago, sought to reverse plans for a library at the Whitefield School, rallied at the investigation of Selectmen Chairman Michael McCoy, and ordered former board member John Forrest to go home to Chelsea.

In other words, if a payback is brewing for this Board of Selectmen, it's being hatched in shadows, dark corners, back rooms and private phone calls. The truth is that Monday's meeting actually went quite well. Civil, in fact.

Chairman McCoy, to be sure, had two poor moments in which told Assistant Town Manager Jeffrey Hull that he was arrogant and belittled a resident for not comprehending his reasons for ditching Newhouse. Beyond that, though, McCoy chaired the meeting in a low key manner, in which everyone in the audience was allowed to speak and he took a few shots at himself in recognition that his leadership lately has not made him popular. It may have been this editor's wild imagination, but it seemed on Monday night that everyone in the room was finally learning how to get along.

So perhaps this places the residents, the town officials and the Board of Selectmen at a crossroads. It will be interesting to see how or if those petition-signers will hold this board accountable. Do residents and officials accept the new town counsel and move on? Or do they kick off the same kind of ugly downward spiral for McCoy that happened to Cain when, ironically, Newhouse was appointed to town counsel two years prior to Cain's next election bid?

That depends on McCoy and those who are not pleased with him or his colleagues.

The Town Crier urges everyone to move on. Those who supported Newhouse and feel outraged about his ouster should turn proactive and encourage him to jump back into public service on another level. Instead of destroying Selectmen McCoy, Raymond Lepore, Suzanne Sullivan and Frank West, perhaps the disenfranchised should encourage Newhouse to run a positive campaign to reclaim a seat on the Board of Selectmen.

And there is another suggestion. During the meeting on Monday night, McCoy, in a likable bit of self deprecation, noted that voters can avenge themselves and take aim at him at the dunk tank during the upcoming Fourth of July activities on the Town Common. At press time, a dunk tank is not slated to appear at the festivities because, according to a member of the Fourth of July Committee, nobody has stepped forward to operate it.

Anybody care to volunteer?

This chapter of this so-called "new" Board of Selectmen has been a sorry one, in which the process to appoint a new town counsel was handled sloppily and reeked of political motives and a misunderstood mandate. Voters should watch this board closely in the weeks and months to come and determine if it has learned from its mistakes or if it will continue along such lines and establish an unsavory pattern.

Those who wish to exact justice on the board for its handling of the Newhouse matter probably cannot be stopped from already lining up at the polls. In the interest of moving on, though, the Town Crier suggests lining up at that dunk tank instead.

Standing Eight Count

by Stephen Bjork

This column intertwines fact, fiction, humor and opinion. It is up to the reader to determine when, where and how each appears.

The selectmen were lobbied during the most recent election, according to Chairman Michael McCoy, to rid the town of Mike Newhouse. McCoy has previously referred to these mysterious people as the silent majority.

The silent majority was not at the selectmen meeting on Monday. I would like to know who this silent majority is and why are they so very quiet?

Apparently, our selectmen are able to hear them, but the rest of us seem to walk around with no awareness of them at all. It must be a little bit spooky to walk around seeing Silent-Majority-People all over the place. Kind of like that kid in "The Sixth Sense," I guess.

"I see Silent-Majority-People," the board members tell their loved ones in terror-stricken voices.

Nearly 1,800 Wilmington residents, with voices, mind you, were silenced on Monday night. Charles Fiore and Priscilla Ward presented the board with a petition containing 1,785 signatures. That number represents nearly half of the total number of voters that turned out for Wilmington's most recent town election. It is, heretofore, an unprecedented feat to collect so many signatures on a petition.

Chairman Michael McCoy collected 450 signatures in order to call his Special Town Meeting for the sole purpose of presenting the voters with the option of instituting a temporary town-wide Building Moratorium. He did so in direct opposition to the recommendation of every single financial and zoning expert in town, but McCoy wanted the silent majority to have an opportunity to decide.

That's right! Power to the people, my brother. Amen!

The moratorium was trounced by a vote of 704 to 143. It was beaten like it was an underclassman on a powder puff football team in Chicago.

According to Town Moderator James Stewart, 856 voters showed up at the Special Town Meeting. They had full authority to shape the future of the

Town of Wilmington.

More than twice that number signed the petition for Newhouse.

The Board conceded that a petition with 1,800 signatures "speaks volumes."

Man, I wish I kept a running count of how many times that phrase was uttered by the selectmen. The number would surely rival their near legendary use of "the bottom line is..."

No matter how many volumes were contained in the petition, the majority of the board looked at it the way an illiterate looks at a crossword puzzle: no interest in it and no use for it. It became very clear, very quickly, that their minds had already been made up.

Citizen Cain was there. What a rabble-rouser he has become.

"It seems that a petition brought before you is less important than petitions you have previously brought," Cain accused.

Selectman Suzanne Sullivan was considered to be a formidable town activist before being elected to the board, but she was quick to admit that she had never collected as many signatures as Fiore and Ward, especially not in such a short amount of time.

During a recent Selectmen's meeting, in which all of Wilmington's department heads also offered support for Newhouse, she warned Town Manager Michael Caira not to dare reprimand her. She must have been frustrated by Caira's silence during this meeting (I could have sworn I saw him assume the "hear no evil" posture at one point) because she targeted the Assistant Town Manager Jeffrey Hull.

Hull had the audacity to ask for the board's detailed plan for the transition of the hundreds of cases from the old town counsel to the new town counsel. McCoy dismissed Hull as arrogant and then Sullivan pulled a tire iron out from under the table and swung it at Hull a couple of times.

"I have a difficult time, you know, when you come in and

you stand there and you speak to the Board in the manner that you speak to the Board, because you don't live in Wilmington, and it's hard for me because you are not part of the constituency," Sullivan began. "But sometimes when you speak to me I almost feel like it's almost, like, in a reprimanding manner (significant laughter from the audience) or in a manner, I'm serious, it's almost being, you're critical..."

C'mon people; enough is enough. I want to know why all these people are out there reprimanding Suzanne Sullivan. If anyone else is reprimanding her, cut it out.

Feeling confident and sporting, Sullivan handed the tire iron right over to her opponents so they could take a few whacks at her.

"I have specific issues with some of Mr. Newhouse's interpretations of laws," Sullivan told the crowd.

Resident Lynn Broderick called her on her exact level of expertise in the area of law.

"My question for Selectman Sullivan is, do you have a law degree and, if you do, can you tell me where you obtained it and when you passed the bar?" Broderick asked.

"I can answer, most assuredly, that I do not have a law degree and that's one of the reasons why I'd really like to have counsel that I can depend on," Sullivan replied.

Sullivan further asserted that she had no problem with Newhouse' legal opinion, but instead questioned his interpretation of the law.

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OK. Resident Karl Sagal suggested that when the voters elected this board, they voted to remove Mike Newhouse. He was reminded that the name Michael Newhouse appeared nowhere on the 2003 ballot, but he certainly must have been referring to the silent majority. Can he see them too, or is he just accepting their existence on faith? Is Sagal Wilmington's answer to Bruce Willis?

The real question facing the

selectmen now is, how angry are those 1,800 people?

McCoy suggested that rumors were circulating that a recall effort of one or more of the selectmen would be started in retribution, should the board not adhere to the wishes of the petition.

Fiore made it very clear that the petition was his creation and he had no intention of creating any kind of recall effort. McCoy, as a gentleman, did not want to release the identities of those spreading such a rumor.

"I don't want to name any names, but it came from Mr. Langone's daughters," McCoy stated.

On a personal level, I like Mike, but remind me not to tell him any secrets.

The board has nothing to worry about in the unlikely event of a recall effort. Those silent buggers would have to come out for a battle like that.

It's hard to believe that April was only two months ago. The campaigns of Sullivan and West were unstoppable. They marched through the election unscathed like true juggernauts. The new board majority was destined for great things and Palmer, the last of the old-school board, would be left hanging out in the wind. The gas tank was full and the engine was running.

Their first meeting, which erupted into a state of near anarchy, used up nearly a quarter of a tank and they have been racing in the red ever since. The Special Town Meeting used up plenty of fuel as well. Members of the Board had presented three of the nine articles. Two of them were withdrawn and the third was demolished.

This Newhouse business has got them running on fumes and gas prices are through the roof. If they are not listening to 1,800 voters and they are not listening to the opinions of those with the most exposure to Town Counsel, who are they listening to?

Sincerely,
Barbara Callahan
Wilmington

Letters to the Editor

Selectmen went with the best resume and resources

Dear Editor:

I usually watch selectmen meetings from the other side of the camera, but I just finished watching the one from this past Monday night, and I am compelled to write.

I have to applaud the majority of the selectman who were faced with a very difficult task of appointing a new Town Counsel. Sure, it would have been easy to give in to the supporters of Michael Newhouse who know and work with him on a personal as well as professional level, but that's not the only aspect of consideration they ethically were forced to look at. Personal qualifications aside, they had to look at the resumes in front of them. Experience, or lack of experience, depending on how you look at it, is the first qualification an employer must consider. Sure, Newhouse has had only had a short period of time to show he can do the job, but time is of the essence these days, especially with such enormously important issues facing the town right now.

From speaking with various people in town that signed the petition, I learned that they

signed it more because they didn't agree with the process by which a Town Counsel could be so easily and quickly replaced. Unfortunately, this is the process according to Town Bylaws.

Do I think the bylaws need to be changed to allow better due process for the present Town Counsel? Yes.

Do I think the Charter needs to be changed? Yes.

However, this was not an option at this time, and a vote had to be taken, regardless of whether the selectman would prefer to allow a two- or even three-year term. They needed to review the best qualifications for the job now, not a year or two from now. It's the law according to Town Charter. The town does not have time to waste in getting "the best bang for the buck."

The choice needs to be exclusively objective. Personal issues need to be taken out of the picture. No, the competitiveness of the job market does not always seem fair. However, companies such as Olin hire the best lawyers with the most experience and resources available to them - why shouldn't

Wilmington? Isn't it the town's right, paid by our tax dollars, to also have the best experience and resources available? The town of Wilmington needs to stay competitive in order to resolve issues quickly and correctly.

Yes, Mr. Newhouse is a life-long resident of Wilmington and has a vested interest in doing what's best for the town, and he is devoted to working hard for the town. Hopefully, this will not discourage him for too long and he will continue to give his time to the town in different aspects as he has done so selflessly in the past - that

devotion has not gone unrecognized. But that's not the point. Did this devotion give him the best resume with the best resources available to him? That was what had to be measured and compared now, not another year or two from now, and I believe this was accomplished by the majority of the Selectmen in the best interest of the town.

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Memorial Day photos appreciated

Dear Editor:

I was at the ceremony in Wilmington on Memorial Day. It was great that the Town Crier photographer was there to catch it all.

I saw the pictures in the paper that Thursday and thought that it was great that other people could know what was going on in town. I know that it was raining very hard that day and I am

very happy to see that the photographer was there, and that she was the only paper photographer there. I am very grateful for what your paper did on that day and keep up the good work.

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"Steve"
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More letters to the editor . . .

Strings Attached did it again

Dear Editor:

Well, it happened again. The Strings Attached program took home from Lake George the gold with a superior performance rating. The group of 149 5th through 8th grade strings students were accompanied by 41 parent chaperones, a caravan of over 140 interested parents and relatives, and of course, Mr. Dilmore.

I would like to thank Mr. Dilmore for his continued dedi-

cation to his students. He has inspired students and parents alike with his undying commitment to provide an outstanding strings music program in our schools. The students have responded by performing and behaving their best on this two day excursion.

Even the weather cooperated this year for the relaxing dinner cruise on Lake George and fun-filled day at Six Flags.

Thank you, Mr. Dilmore, for

an unforgettable experience.

Thank you also to the Wilmington Fire and Police Departments, who escorted the caravan back into town to the waves of many well wishers and surprised residents.

A proud parent of 3 Strings Attached students,
Catherine Daly Woodbury
Wilmington

McCoy violated Open Meeting Law

Dear Editor:

On May 28, 2003, the Wilmington Board of Selectmen took a proper vote to hold another meeting on June 11, 2003, for the purpose of reviewing applicants for the position of Town Counsel. The Board was to review the applicants' qualifications on that date, and after proper discussion, vote on whom to invite for an interview.

On Friday, June 6, 2003, Attorney Michael J. Newhouse submitted his letter of intent to interview for the position of Wilmington Town Counsel. Over the weekend, according to Selectman Chairman Michael McCoy's admissions, he acted entirely on his own by speaking to three of the other Board members, scrapping the prior Board vote, and deciding to hold interviews on June 11. Mr. McCoy then called Mr. Newhouse and personally told him of the abrupt change in plans. If only all of government worked that fast, and on weekends too!

Here in Wilmington we have always had the opportunity to observe the Board of Selectmen engage in lively, public debate. Unfortunately, no one can tell

how lively the debate between Chairman McCoy and three of the other Board members had been, since it was not conducted in public.

As a long time attorney who practices in Wilmington, I can offer an opinion with some confidence that Chairman McCoy's actions appear to be a clear violation of the Massachusetts Open Meeting Law. This law requires Selectmen to make important decisions like this in a public forum. The fact that Mr. McCoy had the Board vote to ratify his actions (in a quickie Selectmen huddle 15 minutes prior to the Special Town Meeting on Monday night) does not excuse his behavior.

Furthermore, the treatment of Selectman Robert Palmer under Mr. McCoy's chairmanship can only be viewed as offensive. As an elected public official, Selectman Palmer has a right to be angry. I have never witnessed such a minimization of an elected and responsible member of the Board of Selectmen as Mr. Palmer has suffered under McCoy's chairmanship. First, the Board could not put the Special Town Meeting off for

one day to accommodate his trip to a family member's memorial mass in St. Louis, and then secondly, upon his return he finds out they pulled the rug out from under him.

Say what you want about the "old board." At least we got to see everything they did. If prior Board Chairman Bob Cain ever changed a vote regarding the appointment of Town Counsel while Mr. McCoy was away, the next meeting would look like an "old west barroom brawl," and there would be a deafening cry for a recall. Now I am really interested to know if the Board's "unanimous" decision not to second Selectman Palmer's nomination of Newhouse on May 12 was discussed before hand in private as well. Morally and legally, selectmen's decisions must be made in Room 9 of Town Hall, not in surreptitious weekend phone calls or in the back room of some restaurant.

Sincerely,
Daniel J. Brown, Esquire

McCoy has intestinal fortitude

Dear Editor:

What follows is an open letter to Michael McCoy, the chairman of the Wilmington Board of Selectmen:

Bravo, Mike, for bringing the building moratorium article to the special town meeting on Monday night, the 9th of June.

It wasn't easy for you to do so, but you were asked by some of your constituency, and you kept your promise. You did what you were elected to do. That's intestinal fortitude, big time!

I have never seen such a crowd in all my 43 years as a resident of this town, especially for a special town meeting. I wonder, if this article had been the last to be picked at about 11:30pm, would that same crowd still have been there? At that hour there were only about 200 voters left when some of the most important articles were voted on. I guess they weren't concerned about things like safe drinking water.

Where are all these same peo-

ple when a smaller group of residents are spending their tax dollars and voting on life-saving articles at the regular yearly town meeting?

Thanks again, Mike, for being the kind of selectman who speaks his mind and works for the people who elected him, whether all the people in this town agree with you or not.

Signed,
Jean Wiberg
Wilmington

Thank you, Chief Ryan

Dear Editor:

I wish to direct this letter to Chief Thomas Ryan of the Tewksbury Fire Department.

I write on behalf of the entire congregation of the First Baptist Church of Tewksbury to thank you for reinstalling the weather vane on top of the church steeple. The weather vane is an antique which was badly in need of repair and new

gold leaf. It has evidently become something of a landmark in North Tewksbury. We have had several comments from residents and those who pass by expressing their pleasure that it has reappeared on the steeple.

We were unsure of how that would be accomplished until you told us that it was within the capabilities of the fire

department. You all did the job so quickly and easily (or so it seemed), and we are very grateful. Thank you for this and the many other services you perform for the community.

Sincerely yours,
The Rev. Carole P. Boutwell

What are Sullivan's legal qualifications?

Dear Editor:

During the course of the evening's discussion at the June 9 Special Town Meeting, Mr. Greg Erickson read a letter to the audience from Steve Lipman of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection. The letter cautioned the community that the financial cost to continue the capping of the landfill could cost the town of Wilmington millions of dollars.

Selectwoman Suzanne Sullivan countered with "Steve Lipman is not an attorney," and went on to suggest Lipman's version of what could happen and who would pay were not accurate.

I found it interesting that she said Lipman was not an attorney. It seems she wants it both ways. She disagrees with Town Counsel Newhouse's legal opinions and is now challenging Steve Lipman's interpretation as to the possible consequences at the Spinazola landfill.

The question that needs to be asked is "Ms. Sullivan, what

law school did you graduate from that gives you the experience, training and education to second guess a graduate of one of our most prestigious law schools, namely Harvard University, and the other person, who you claim is not an attorney, who has an extensive resume with training, experience and education to support his interpretations?"

You can't have it both ways, Ms. Sullivan. It is becoming pleasantly clear that in your limited training, education and experience, your interpretations of Environmental Issues is conflicting with those rendered by an experienced attorney who has an outstanding educational background in the law and hands-on experience within this community.

Also, you will not listen to a man who is employed by the Massachusetts Environmental Protection Agency. To reach the position he is presently in required years of training, experience and education. Mr. Lipman is a highly respected

individual within the Environmental Community and to suggest he would render an opinion that could harm public health is ludicrous. Ms. Sullivan, based upon your comment, what are your qualifications to challenge these men of such stature?

I am sure, as you said at the May 28, 2003 Board of Selectmen meeting, that nobody should be given a job without having the "knowledge and experience."

In the event someone is lacking in the area of knowledge and experience, I am sure you would be the first to move to fire that person, especially if that person had fabricated his/her qualifications through misrepresentation when seeking employment.

I am also sure, Ms. Sullivan, that is something in which you personally would not take part.

George W. Hooper
Wilmington

Sagal meditates on his selectmen stance

Dear Editor:

The Board of Selectmen appointed a new Town Counsel this week. Clearly, the exiting Town Counsel and his supporters are disappointed. Sometimes, how you handle disappointments becomes a good way to show your mettle. I'd like to see that. (Then again, there is always the opportunity to make your statement at the ballot box.)

A friend recently pointed out to me that I appear to be much easier on this Board of Selectmen than I was on the last one. I have been an advocate for complying with the Rules of the game since most people have seen me since I came onto the scene, politically speaking. Let's look at that.

In the last board, there was constant infighting and accusations at the table and between the table and the audience. With this board, there is a constant level of infighting and accusations at the table and between the table and audience. On that level, one would deduce that there has been no improvement. That is because the roles have switched. There has been an old guard, a party, a clique, whatever you have decided to call it, that has been controlling this town and its dealings for a long time. If you choose not to recognize this, then you are missing a very important point. The change has been that this influence group is now in the audience instead of running the meeting from the board. So it is true

that the same old conflicts exist and are played out at these meetings.

I pointed out to the previous board that they were scofflaws and were not complying with the bylaws in their efforts to appoint their cronies to positions to perpetuate their power plays. Anyone that recalls the appointments of Mr. Hooper or Mr. Forrest to the board to specifically be in place to cast the deciding vote for critical situations will recognize this. Those were serious issues and deserve serious condemnation.

So how do we rate this current board? I have been vocal in my support for letting them get their business done. Have they done a good job? Time will tell. I have suggested in previous letters that they are poor planners, just learning their craft. I have suggested that they run their meetings like a silly TV show. I don't offer these observations as endorsements, but as constructive criticisms. I just choose to complain with tongue-in-cheek, since the current issues are born from ignorance and not from corruption.

The crux of the situation is that the selectmen are not being the professional, smooth, polished board that we would like. They stumble through awkward procedures, double-back on themselves, and misspeak often. Maybe this is because they are not reading from a script. They could not be clearer that they are making it up as they go along. That is

what is obvious to me. It is time to remind the Board of Selectmen that the bylaws require, in Chapter 3, Section 19, that they "adopt or promulgate administrative rules and keep them on file at their town clerk's office and other specified locations. It is time for us to stop having to live with boards that see fit to follow the rules they like and ignore those they don't. If the board had complied with this bylaw, the complaints as to their procedures would all melt away."

Have I thus far been as vocal in my complaints? Possibly not. Have I been adamant in my condemnation? Probably not. Have they been purposefully not complying with the laws of the land, in order to further their own gain, against the will and the best interest of the town? Absolutely not.

It seems that we were given the choice to choose our representatives. That is the law of the land. I believe that this time around, we chose selectmen that are not as polished as they could be, but are trying to do the job honestly. I believe that should buy them some consideration when it comes to tolerating their shortcomings. But the clock is ticking . . .

Karl Ian Sagal
Wilmington

"Civil Action" attorney will speak at event

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Concerned Citizens Network, I would like to make you aware and those of your readers of a very special event called Environmental Challenges, A Personal Perspective. The keynote speaker at this public forum will be Jan Schlichtmann, the famed attorney who has earned international notoriety for his landmark case against Woburn industrial polluters for the contamination of that city's water supply. He represented eight Woburn families who claimed that their health problems including childhood leukemia were due to the contamination of the public drinking water wells by these companies. He was portrayed by John Travolta in Hollywood's production of

Jonathan Harr's "A Civil Action."

Also appearing will be Suzanne Condon, Assistant Commissioner of the Department of Public Health. She will speak to the community on the public health study process and its evolution since her initial work and contribution in Woburn.

Both presentations will afford the community a better understanding of the many environmental challenges we face today, perspectives on how to effectively address them and how they can relate to public health. Much has been learned and experienced by our two speakers and we are excited that both have agreed to speak and advise us here in Wilmington. There will be a

short question and answer period for the public after each speaker.

This event was made possible by a grant from New England Grass-Root Environmental Fund to the Concerned Citizens Network.

Admission is free. So mark your calendars. The event will be held Thursday, June 26, 2003 at the Wilmington Middle School Auditorium and will start promptly at 7 p.m. For more information, please feel free to call Kathleen Barry, President of Concerned Citizens Network @ 978-658-7744.

Kathleen M. Barry
President
Concerned Citizens Network

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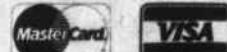


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Publish all photos

Dear Editor:

You should publish the photos of all 200 graduates instead of a handful with the wrong names for the photos. Maybe Julian Stokes is an alias for Laura Storey, for all I know.

I do not feel your newspaper is proofread at all. Every week there are typos in the body of the articles and even in front page headlines.

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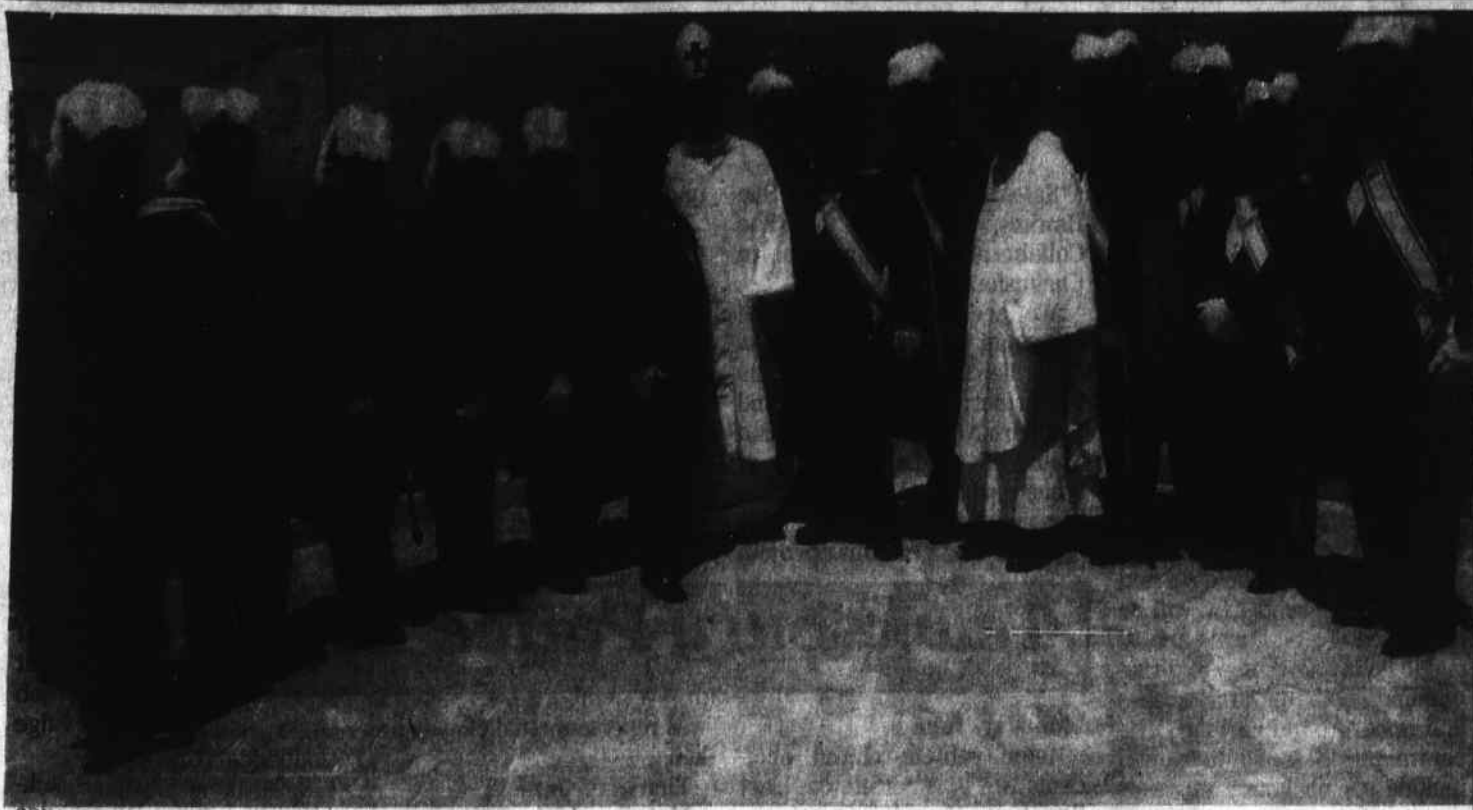
Thanks, TMHS football team

Dear Editor:

I am writing to thank our volunteers from the Tewksbury High School Football team for all their work on Saturday, May 31st, installing the new playground at the Dewing School. It was a very large installation and we were doing it solely with parent volunteers. The T.H. football coach heard of our installation and talked to a few of his football players. Fifteen young men showed up at 8:00 in the morning and worked so hard until about 2:00 in the

afternoon. As a parent of two elementary age kids, I was so proud watching these boys work together with such enthusiasm and energy! We could not have done it so quickly and efficiently without their help. Thank you from everyone at the Dewing School!

Leslie Fromme
Tewksbury



A KNIGHTLY WELCOME. The Wilmington and Tewksbury Knights of Columbus were on hand to greet Bishop Richard G. Lennon when he visited St. Dorothy's Church on Sunday. From left to right are Cyl Blonigan; Dwight Maxwell; Thomas Walsh; Jim O'Leary; John Ciampi; Sonny Enos; Bishop Lennon; Charlie Gilbert; John McKenzie; Lou Cimaglia; Father Kevin Horrigan; Gene Kenney; Barry Bell; Rico Enos; and Everett Belisle.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Tewksbury Teens

The library has something special for you this summer

TEWKSBURY - Summer vacation is approaching, and you're a teenager (or the parent of one) wondering what to do? Fortunately, Tewksbury Public Library has a variety of programs designed for students entering grades seven through 12. Special events will be offered at the library as part of the older version of our children's Summer Reading Program.

For teens who love reading, meeting new people, and free snacks, Tewksbury Public Library will hold a book discussion club. Anyone who is interested can pick up a copy of the selected book, available at the main circulation desk three weeks before the meetings. The

dates will be July 8 at 3 p.m. (the book is *Flight 116 is Down*) and August 5 at 3 p.m. (the book is *Wild Man Island*).

Reading also pays off in the ongoing Reading Lottery. Once a week you can fill out an entry form with your name and three books you've read for a chance to win. Great prizes include a \$25 Weathervane gift certificate, Barnes and Noble gift cards, a \$20 Skewers gift certificate, a free ice cream sundae and carnations from Dandi-Lyons, five free rental coupons from Blockbuster, and free dinner for two at the Piccadilly Pub. Lucky winners will be selected at random. A special thanks goes out to our generous local businesses for their dona-

tions.

Feeling creative? Try the Cool Collages Workshop and make a photomontage out of imagination and old magazines. No artistic skills or sign-up required. The date is Tuesday, July 22 at 3 p.m. Aspiring writers can come to Peggy Rambach's workshop series, August 12-14 from 1-3 p.m. Registration starts August 1. This project is supported, in part, by a grant from the Tewksbury Cultural Council, a local agency supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council.

For more information about programs and services at Tewksbury Library, visit www.tewksburypl.org.

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Area schools eligible for individual research grants

BOSTON - Pearson Prentice Hall, a leading publisher of middle and high school educational materials, is seeking partnerships with Greater Boston middle and high schools that are interested in collaborating with the company to improve the quality of effectiveness of the instructional materials used in their classrooms. Each eligible school that applies and is accepted to participate in the research project will receive an education grant worth up to \$65,000 in curriculum materials in the subject area of its choice.

To receive the grant, schools will agree to participate in a number of possible research activities, including classroom observations, adaptation of lesson studies and/or other teacher or student materials, teacher interviews and possibly student interviews. The focus of this research study will be on mathematics, language arts and social studies (though curriculum grant awards can include other subject areas in which Pearson Prentice Hall

publishes).

Pearson Prentice Hall values the input of teachers and students who use curriculum materials every day. Participation in the research program will allow classroom teachers a rare opportunity to provide direct feedback and recommendations on how to improve materials for their students.

Letters of Intent were due to Pearson Prentice Hall by June 9. (Informational meeting will be hosted by Pearson Prentice Hall in Needham, June 19. Applications are due by July 15.

Public Middle and High Schools in the Boston metro area (Middlesex, Norfolk, Suffolk counties) with student population of at least 300 students are eligible to apply.

The Pearson Prentice Hall School Research Program will be administered during the 2003-2004 and 2004-2005 school years. Grantees will be required to participate in the program beginning September 1, 2003 through end of school

year, 2005.

For applications and other grant details, schools may contact Christopher Brown, senior vice president Pearson Education; 1 Lake St., Upper Saddle River, NJ 07458; 201-236-5385; christopher.brown@pearsoned.com.

Dudley received a degree from Syracuse University

WILMINGTON - Jamie Dudley of Birch Road, Wilmington received a bachelor's degree in special studies in art from Syracuse University College of Visual and Performing Arts. He was among the 4,800 degree candidates along with their families

and friends who attended the ceremony presided over by Chancellor Kenneth A. Shaw.

The College of Visual and Performing Arts at Syracuse University is dedicated to providing a nurturing environment where faculty help students develop their creative and scholarly abilities. The college contains the Rose, Jules R. and Stanford S. Setnor School of Music; the School of Art and Design; the Department of Communication and Rhetorical Studies; the Department of Drama; and the Department of Retail Management and Consumer Studies. Together, students and faculty play a vital role in the academic and cultural life of the University as well as the greater Syracuse community.

Car wash at K of C

TEWKSBURY - A car wash will be held at Tewksbury Knights of Columbus, 2070 Main Street, Route 38, Saturday, June 28 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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Tewksbury's newest 55+ housing area

Ground breaking at Emerald Court

TWEEKSBURY - Emerald Court Tewksbury's newest community for adults 55 and over celebrated its ground breaking May 20, 2003 with an overwhelming attendance including Tewksbury town officials and business leaders. This active adult community will consist of 180 residences providing a maintenance-free lifestyle with first floor master suites, and dramatic open spaces.

Emerald Court, developed and built by Stonewood, LLC will be composed of 93 cottages and 87 single level homes in a mid-rise building, with elevator access and underground parking. The community's amenities will include a club house, an exercise facility, club room, game room, and a sports bar. Assisted living opportunities are planned for the future.

Stonewood LLC, who is represented by partners Maureen DiPalma, Robert Pondelli and Joe Phelan bring together years of experience in the building construction and real estate development business and has assembled a development team comprised of a group of nationally-recognized, award-winning professionals to work on the neighborhood including:

*Architect: Gary Snider, New England regional manager of Bloodgood Sharp Buster in Iowa and Boston.

*Model Merchandiser: Soni Christensen, president of Design East interiors in New Hampshire.

*Sales & Marketing: Sue Hawkes, partner in The Collaborative Companies in Chelmsford.

"We are excited about the opportunity to present this new dynamic community for adults in Northern Massachusetts and Southern New Hampshire," said Maureen DiPalma of Stonewood, LLC. "It's been a pleasure working with the town officials to get this project

under way," she added.

Sue Hawkes of The Collaborative Companies, the exclusive sales and marketing company for the community, remarked, "Lifestyle is very important to people today and that's what Emerald Court offers with a variety of home designs, a great location, and a first class development and building team all in a maintenance free setting."

The first phase of cottages will be available beginning this fall. Home sizes range from 1,700 to 2,100 square feet with prices from the high \$300s to the mid \$500s.

For more information about Emerald Court, contact The Collaborative Companies' Sales Director Nancy McLean-Ingram at 978-640-1784.

HARD WORK PAYS OFF. Estelle Fugere, a Wilmington resident who serves as the Vice Chairperson of the Parish Council at St. Dorothy's Church, was instrumental in arranging the visit of Bishop Richard G. Lennon to the community on Father's Day.

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Monday, June 9

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on East Street and Chandler Street.

A mailbox at a business on Main Street was reportedly maliciously damaged.

A mailbox at a residence on Colonial Drive was reportedly maliciously knocked over.

Police reported to Dunkin Donuts on Main Street and assisted in the removal of an individual who was not wanted on the premises.

Tuesday, June 10

A motor vehicle-related accident was reported on Main Street.

Police responded to separate reports of domestic disturbances at residences on Sawyer Lane and Windham Road.

Valerie Cole, 18, of Tewksbury, was arrested on the basis of a warrant.

Timothy Seely, 49, of Tewksbury, was arrested and charged with domestic assault and battery.

Wednesday, June 11

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Andover Street, Shawsheen Street and Main Street.

A burglary at a residence on Rogers Street was reported to authorities.

The rear window of a vehicle parked on North Billerica Road

was reportedly maliciously broken.

Thursday, June 12

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Main Street and Foster Road.

In separate instances, the windows of vehicles parked on Mulberry Way, South Street and Shawsheen Street were reportedly maliciously broken.

Luis Santos, 38, of Lowell, was arrested and charged with the illegal possession of a Class A substance.

Friday, June 13

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Bridge Street, Chandler Street, Lowe Street, Main Street and Trull Road.

Two mailboxes at residences on North Street were reportedly maliciously damaged. On Marion Drive, four mailboxes at residences were vandalized as well.

Adrienne Inniss, 50, of Tewksbury, was arrested and charged with the unlicensed operation of a vehicle.

Dennis Ricupero, 46, of Lowell, was arrested and charged with shoplifting by asportation.

Saturday, June 14

A motor vehicle-related accident was reported on Main Street.

Authorities responded to a

fight that occurred between individuals on North Street.

Several mailboxes at residences on Pinnacle Street were reportedly maliciously damaged.

Sunday, June 15

A motor vehicle-related accident was reported on Michael Street.

An assault and battery reportedly occurred at a residence on Lakeview Street.

A vehicle was burglarized while it was parked at Stadium Plaza.

The Shell Gas Station on Main Street was reportedly robbed. The suspect is described as a white male who stands between 5 feet, 10 inches and six feet tall. The individual, who appeared to be between 30 and 35 years old, allegedly wielded a knife. The suspect reportedly had a beard and wore a pair of black Oakley glasses.

A residence on Archstone Avenue was allegedly burglarized.

A burglary at a residence on Martin Road was reported.

Daniel Oliveira, 18, of Woburn, was arrested and charged with operating a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, failing to stay within marked lanes, and having an open container of alcohol while operating a vehicle.

Wilmington Police Log

Monday, June 9

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Main Street, Lowell Street, and Concord Street.

The windows of a vehicle owned by the town were reportedly maliciously broken while the car was parked at the Town Hall on Glen Road.

Robert Malenfant, 40, of Wilmington, was arrested on the basis of a warrant.

JonPaul Grimes, 28, of Beverly, was arrested on the basis of a warrant and charged with operating a vehicle after the suspension of his driver's license.

Tuesday, June 10

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Birchwood Road and Wildwood Street.

Police responded twice to two separate reports of domestic disturbances at a residence on Parker Street.

Authorities responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Burnap

Street.

A mailbox at a residence on Andover Street was reportedly maliciously damaged.

A report was made of a disturbance to the peace at the Woburn Street School on Woburn Street.

A vehicle parked on Chestnut Street reportedly sustained a broken taillight and dents as the result of acts of malicious damage.

A mailbox at a residence on North Washington Avenue was reportedly maliciously damaged.

Wednesday, June 11

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Burlington Avenue and Main Street.

Mailboxes at residences on Dandalf Way, Wild Avenue and Brattle Street were reportedly maliciously damaged.

A pool at a residence on Agostino Drive was reportedly vandalized.

A 16-year-old Wilmington youth was arrested and charged with simple assault and battery.

A residence on Fairview Avenue was reportedly burglarized.

Thursday, June 12

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Mink Run Road and Lowell Street.

A mailbox and its post were reportedly stolen from a residence on Middlesex Avenue.

Residences on Burt Road and Hillcrest Street were reportedly maliciously struck by paintballs.

Sergio Celestino, 27, of Malden, was arrested and charged with operating a vehicle after the suspension of his

driver's license.

Friday, June 13

Motor vehicle-related accidents were reported on Main Street and Adams Street.

Police assisted the management at C & J Lawnmower with an irate customer who was reportedly disturbing the peace.

A vehicle parked on Main Street was reportedly "keyed."

Police responded to a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence on Earls Row.

A report was made of a domestic disturbance that occurred at a residence on Morse Avenue.

Lisa Carroll, 18, of Wilmington, was arrested on the basis of a warrant.

Saturday, June 14
A motor vehicle-related accident was reported on Hillside Way.

Deborah Shukis, 44, of Wilmington was arrested and charged with assault and battery on a police officer and resisting arrest.

Brian Kenney, 44, of Woburn, was arrested and charged with the illegal possession of a Class D substance with the intent to distribute it.

Roberto Aquerrido, 29, of Boston, was arrested on the basis of 8 warrants.

Sunday, June 15

A motor vehicle-related accident was reported on Middlesex Avenue.

Joseph Lasala, of Wilmington, was arrested and charged with assault and battery with a dangerous weapon.

Gustavo Garcia, 28, of Roslindale, was arrested on the basis of a warrant.

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Essex River Cruises and Charters are offered from the Essex Marina at 10:30 a.m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30 and 7 p.m. May through October. Call 978-786-6861 for info and reservations.

Swim lesson registration for summer swim session are being taken at Gr. Billerica Boys and Girls Club. Call 978-667-2193 or visit the Club at 19 Campbell Road.

Grandparents as Parents: Health South St., Joseph Healthcare Center, 220 Pawtucket St., Lowell, 7 to 8:30 p.m. second Tues., of the month. Call 978-459-3242.

Fourth Mon. of the month 10:30 a.m. at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center, No. Chelmsford; Grandparents as Parents. Call 978-459-3242.

Congregation Shalom, a Reform Congregation located in Chelmsford is offering open registration for their pre-school for three and four-year-olds.

The classes meet once a month for an hour on Sundays. A parent or guardian is required to accompany their child. The cost is \$100 for non-members. Call Stacy Garnick at 978-251-6661 for further information.

Greater Lowell Family YMCA has openings in their Preschool Program. Call 978-454-7825 ext. 9000.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Massachusetts are expanding their car campaign to include boats. The car campaign throughout Massachusetts has proven to be a great success. Those who have unwanted boats to donate may receive a valuable tax deduction on their income tax. All boats are subject to the approval of a broker and must be fiberglass, seaworthy, and in marketable condition. Proceeds will benefit the Boys & Girls Clubs.

If future plans include a new boat, a bigger boat, or no boat at all. The Boys & Girls Clubs would like to hear from you.

Please call 1-800-246-0493. LaLeche League of Billerica offers monthly support meetings for pregnant and nursing mothers. Call 978-670-1309.

Mothers Against Drunk Driving in Mass. is conducting a car campaign to support their program. Call 1-800-720-6233 for information.

Lowell Y Preschool; Is now accepting registration for their fall programs. Children must be at least two years and nine months old to attend. Call 978-454-7825.

Skin Screenings; Skin cancer is the most common cancer, but most forms are easily treated if detected early. Lahey's Dept. of Dermatology offers free skin screenings for the public, by appointment only. Call 781-744-8979.

Tues & Thurs: 8:15 to 9 p.m., Adult coed deep water running class at Boys and Girls Club of Billerica. Go to the pool to register.

Openings exist in the morning (8-9) water aerobic classes. Call 978-667-2193.

Saturday morning water workout at the Boys and Girls Club of Billerica, 9:15 to 10. Just show up at the pool and sign in. Elder Service Corps: helps elders remain independent. Minuteman Senior Services has the position open. Call 781-272-7177, ext. 7023.

Adoption Support: Group Fourth Sunday of each month from 7 to 9 p.m. at 19 Campbell Road, Billerica. Call 978-667-3282.

Each Wednesday: The Northshoremens A Cappella chorus needs men who like to sing. The chorus meets each Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. at the Italian Community Center, 307 Rantoul St., Beverly. Call 978-927-7894.

LaLeche League of Billerica offers monthly support meetings for pregnant and nursing mothers. Call accredited leaders at 978-256-2967; 978-256-4804; 978-749-0645.

Sacred Choral Artists: a 40 member choral ensemble celebrating the beauty and artistry of sacred music, is seeking new

members. All parts welcome to audition. Rehearsals Monday evenings in Haverhill. Call 781-665-9245; www.sacred-choralartists.org.

Mother to Mother: is accepting dues for the 2002-03 year. This is a non-profit support group for parents and their children from Burlington and surrounding towns. Call Mary at 781-238-8267.

Having a hard time: Feeding your family? Call Project Bread's Food Source Hotline at 1-800-645-8333. The Hotline is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Fourth Mon. of each month, Adoptive support group for pre and post adoptive families at Billerica Boys & Girls Club, 19 Campbell Rd., Billerica. Call 978-667-3282.

Tuesdays: 5:30 to 6:45 p.m., seniors 55 and older full course meals and periodic health awareness programs at Lahey Clinic Medical Center's cafeteria. Call 781-744-3414.

Lowell Family YMCA: currently accepting registration for Kids Club Summer Program. Call 978-454-7825.

Every Sunday: Brunch, all you can eat buffet at No. Reading Moose Lodge, 140 North Street. Call 978-664-8561.

Mon-Fri: Lowell Association for the Blind needs volunteers who can join the LAB Talking Information Center Radio Reading Service to read and record news. Call 978-454-5704.

Mon-Fri, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mon & Wed., 9 to 10 a.m., Lowell Boys Club offers water aerobics. Call 458-4526.

Sun., Mon., Wed., Thurs: 7 to 9 p.m., Childbirth classes at Winchester Hospital. Call 781-756-4700.

Thursday evenings: Merrimack Valley Chorus open rehearsals/auditions, 7:30 p.m., Wil. Arts Council, Rte. 62. Call 978-851-7764; www.merrimackvalleychorus.com

For information: regarding Winchester Hospital's Senior Health Partnership's Walking Program for seniors, call 781-756-4774.

Big Brother/Big Sister is running a car campaign to support their mentoring programs. Prospective donors need to know that only those who itemize their taxes may take the fair market value as a contribution. Determining the value of the car is completely up to the donor, therefore, Big Brother/Big Sisters will not give a value. Call 1-800-859-6526.

Grandparents as parents: Second Tuesday; fourth Monday of each month. Tues., 7:30 p.m. at St. Mem. Hosp., Lowell cafe; Mon., 10 to 11:30 a.m. at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center, Chelmsford. Call 978-459-3242 for details.

Adoption Center: Information and support each fourth Monday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Billerica Boys and Girls Club, 19 Campbell Rd., Billerica. Call 978-667-3282.

First and third Tuesdays: Lowell Camera Club meets at the First Baptist Church, 99 Church St., Lowell at 7:30 p.m. Call 978-851-0883.

Mons./Thurs.: 10 a.m. to noon, Family Connection at Pawtucket Congregational Church, Mammoth Rd., Lowell. Includes information, friendship, fun and recreation to parents of young children in Greater Lowell. Call 957-5484.

Winter session of Easter Seals adapted swim program for children with disabilities opens at Burbank YMCA, Reading. Call 1-800-244-2756 x 426.

Big Sister Association of Greater Boston will offer its monthly information session at the Peabody office, 47-49 Central St., Peabody, Monday, October 7 from 6 to 7 p.m. Call 617-236-8060.

Swim lessons: Boys and Girls Club of greater Billerica is accepting registration for summer swim sessions. Call 978-667-2193 or visit the Club at 19 Campbell Road.

Tops: Wednesdays from 5:45 to 7 p.m. at Old South Methodist Church, Reading. Call 978-657-8053.

April-September: Sat. and Sun. noon to 4 p.m.; Middlesex Museum Visitor Center open to visitors. 71 Faulkner St., No. Billerica. Call 978-670-2740.

Sat., June 21: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

"A Women's Health Day" at Sts. Memorial Medical Center Ambulatory Surgery Center, One Hospital Dr., Lowell. Call 978-934-8255.

July 4-6: at Ski Butternut, Route 23, Great Barrington, Berkshire Summer Arts Festival. 11 to 7 Friday, 10 to 6:30 Saturday and 10 to 5:30 Sun. Call 1-800-834-9437.

July 7-11: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., The Hit Zone Summer Baseball Camp for boys and girls eight to 13 at Greenway Little League Fields, Swampscott. Call 781-592-4487.

July 9-Aug. 21: Gr. Lowell Family YMCA t-ball program begins. Call 978-454-7825 for registration information.

Fri., July 18: Swim Across America Boston Harbor Island Swim. Call 508-660-1720.

Mon., July 21: Deadline for proposals to Elder Services of Merrimack Valley, Inc. from non-profits and other agencies that want to apply for Federal Title III funds under the Older Americans Act. Call 978-683-7747 x 475.

Sat., Nov. 22: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Middlesex Community College Arts & Crafts Fair at Bedford Campus. Call 781-280-3541 for application.

Sat., Nov. 22: 9 to 3 p.m., St. Catherine's Craft Fair in Parish Hall, 107 North Main St., Westford. Crafters needed. Call 978-692-6353.



DISTINGUISHED ENTRANCE. Bishop Richard G. Lennon proceeded past the Knights of Columbus as he entered St. Dorothy's Church in Wilmington on Sunday, June 15. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

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CATCH HIM IF YOU CAN. The friends of Daniel Sullivan offered to watch his back as he fell straight into their outstretched arms during a trust-building drill at Camp 40 Acres in Wilmington this week. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Martin named to Colby College Dean's List

WILMINGTON - Jessica A. Martin, a graduate of Wilmington High School and daughter of John and Edna Martin of Wilmington, has been named to the dean's list for outstanding academic achievement during the spring semester of the 2002-03 school year at Colby College in Waterville, Maine.

To make the dean's list, a grade point average of at least 3.20 in the previous semester is required for upperclassmen, and a grade point average of at least 3.0 in the previous semester is required for first year

students. Jessica, a member of the Class of 2003, majored in English with a concentration in creative writing and minored in philosophy.

Framingham State Dean's List

FRAMINGHAM - Two Tewksbury students and two from Wilmington have been named to the dean's list at Framingham State College for the spring 2003 semester, they include:

Amy Scott, of Tewksbury, Class of 2003, majoring in elementary education and Jennifer Neulist, Class of 2005 majoring in English and Wilmington residents Laurie Kennison, Class of 2005, majoring in geography and Matthew Porter, Class of 2006, undeclared.

To be selected for the dean's list a student must earn a quality point average of 3.25 or higher.

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Date	Title
Saturday, 6/21, 2pm	Maxwell Coffee House
Monday, 6/23, 6pm	Silvertones
Friday, 7/4, 6:30pm	Patient Sing a Long
Saturday, 7/12, 2pm	Lowell Accordion Orchestra
Wednesday 7/16, 2pm	Andover Senior Choral Group
Tuesday, 7/22, 2pm	The Singing Trooper
Saturday, 7/26, 2pm	Maxwell Coffee House
Friday, 8/1, 1:30pm	The Musicworks, Inc.
Wednesday, 8/6, 2pm	Ray Lafortune
Friday, 8/15, 1:30pm	Tewksbury Hospital All Stars

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Jennifer Grasso to wed Santiago Mezquita

WILMINGTON - Diane and Ronald Grasso have announced the engagement of their daughter Jennifer to Santiago Mezquita, son of Joselyn Estevez and Dionis Mezquita.

Jennifer is a 1996 graduate of Our Lady of Nazareth Academy in Wakefield and earned her bachelor's degrees in Spanish and Education from UMass, Amherst. She is currently

employed as a first grade teacher in Methuen.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Lawrence High School who received his bachelor's degree in marketing from UMass, Amherst and is currently employed as a buyer with Harvey Industries in Waltham.

The couple has purchased a home in Dracut and have an August wedding planned.

Kristin Cronin awarded degree at Bentley

TEWKSBURY - Kristin Cronin, daughter of Francis and Patricia Cronin and a graduate of Tewksbury Memorial High School, has been awarded a bachelor of science degree cum laude at Bentley College in Waltham. Barry and Eliot Tattelman, CEO and president of Jordan's Furniture, addressed the 1000 members of

the Class of 2003 and their guests at Bentley's 84th undergraduate commencement exercises.

Kristin majored in marketing at Bentley and plans to work in the marketing field. Her undergraduate activities included work study, varsity field hockey Div II National Champs, 2001.

Students receive medals for Latin Exam

TEWKSBURY - Nineteen of the 27 students who took the 2003 National Latin Exam at Tewksbury Memorial High School won medals or certificates. Nine students got less than three out of 40 questions wrong to win silver or gold medals.

The Summa Cum Laude gold medalists in Latin II were Kim Perley, Patrick Fitzmaurice, Katherine MacDonald; in Latin III, Sarah Concannon and in

Latin IV, Heather Watkins. All the Maxima Cum Laude, Silver Medal winners were Latin II students: Jamie Frank, Alexander Herzog, Sarah Hurton and Colleen Hannigan.

Magna Cum Laude certificates went to Amanda Watkins, Leanne Bradley, Peter Leavitt, Kristina Reinold and Andrew Restuccia, while Sarah Russell, Sonia Shah, Lauren Casey, Wei Wong, and Jill Connolly received Cum Laude Awards.

Berry honored with "Distinguished" Award

WILMINGTON - Meaghan Berry of Wilmington, who recently graduated from UMass Lowell with a bachelor's degree in exercise physiology, was honored with the Chancellor's Medal for Distinguished Academic Achievement during the 2003

Commencement Ceremony at UMass Lowell.

The Chancellor's Medal for Distinguished Academic Achievement is awarded to the student who has attained the highest cumulative average for baccalaureate study in each of the undergraduate colleges.

Selig graduates Lesley University

WILMINGTON - Tracy Selig, daughter of Deborah Selig of King Street, Wilmington has been awarded the degree of Master of Early Childhood Education by Lesley University in Cambridge. Selig is a recipient of a

Bachelor's Degree in Sociology from UMass Amherst and hopes to be soon employed as a school teacher.

Lesley University is a 13,000 student, multi site university for women and men.

UMass Lowell Dean's List

LOWELL - Twenty-seven Tewksbury residents and 20 from Wilmington, have been named to the dean's list for the spring semester at UMass, Lowell:

TEWKSBURY
Daniel Gaynor, Charme Rd.
Christopher Geen, Sesame St.
Colleen Arnold, Merrimack Meadow Lane
Christina Lynn Bass, Archstone Ave.
Matthew Belmonte, Pinedale Ave.
Joshua Benfey, Emily Rd.
Rogerio Brasil, No. Billerica Rd.
Jonathan Cogswell, Henry J. Drive
Amy Cook, Bradford Rd.
Michelle DiFelice, County Rd.
Stacy Ennis, Shawsheen St.
Kristyn Ferro, Starr Ave.
Diana Gangemi, Starr Ave.
Kristin Hurd, Morningside Dr.
John Kinnon, Lancaster Dr.
Adam Lafreniere, Pine St.
Jennifer Lamb, Sawyers Lane
Patricia Lane, Shawsheen St.
Maura Mortimer, Babicz Rd.
Robert Parker, Main St.
Julie Rauseo, Helvetia St.
Richard Reveal, Regis Rd.
Donna Rodwell, Maplewood

WILMINGTON
Jason Barrett, Truman Rd.
Meaghan Berry, Freeport Dr.
Melissa Brooks, Chestnut St.
Colleen Cahill, Congress St.
Stephen Dulong, Kabin Way
Kimberly Gillespie, Tomahawk Dr.
James Gleason, Kendall St.
Erik Gustafson, Washington Ave.
Michele Haynes, Bond St.
Kristen Jagodyski, West St.
Maura Lynch, Middlesex Ave.
Jaime Martin, Hillside Way
Nicholas Maselli, Dunton Rd.
Patrice Mendoza, Main St.
Denise Merry, Cedarcrest Rd.
Erin Rowe, Park St.
Maura Ryle, Marjorie Rd.
Christopher Stygle, Hathaway Rd.
Katelyn Sughrue, Carson Ave.
Brian Williamson, Beeching Ave.

A grade point average of at least 3.0 with no grade lower than a B must be attained for inclusion on the dean's list.



THE LAST DINNER BELL. Delores Monte Calvo has retired after 35 years as a lunch lady in the Tewksbury School System. Last week, she could be seen with this last round of delicious sandwiches. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Local students graduate UMass Lowell

LOWELL - Thirty-seven Tewksbury residents and 15 from Wilmington, were among the more than 1500 UMass Lowell students who received bachelors' master's and doctoral degrees during the commencement ceremony held June 2 at UMass Lowell:

TEWKSBURY
Colleen Arnold, Merrimack Meadow Lane
Christina Bass, Archstone Avenue
Teffonie Carrigan, Whipple Road
Stephanie Clark, Brentwood Road
Jessica Cogswell, Henry J. Drive
Lindsay Faherty, Squire Lane
John Getz, Guile Avenue
Andrew Gorgenyi, South Street
Susan Griffin, Van Buren Road
Caitlin Halloran, Babicz Road
Amanda Harring, Highland Avenue
Justin Hodnett, Chestnut Road
Christopher Juffre, Sheffield Road
Jennifer Kelleher, Pupkis Road
John Kinnon, Lancaster Drive
Greg Kwon, Debra Drive
Jayne Kwon, Debra Drive
Jamie Mackey, Elm Street
Francis Marchand, Jr., Patrick Road
Robert McNay Jr., Shawsheen Street
Susan Mochrie, Henry J. Drive
Christina Neff, South Street
Sushila Pareek, Patrick Road

Julie Parla, Overlook Road
Stephen Parrella, Catamount Road
Dhanesh Patel, Patrick Road
Dennis Peterson, Bridge Path
Elizabeth Quigley, Shawsheen Street
Michael Raymond, Mitchell G. Drive
Richard Reveal, Regis Road
Bernadine Weeks, Andover St.
Kerri Westaway, Trull Road
Kellie Shanahan Shawsheen Street
Ricardo Acosta, Worthen Place
Jennifer Jeffrey, Eighth Street
Salvatore Poli, Joanne Drive
Victoria Shaw, Heritage Drive.
WILMINGTON
Phillip Bates, Marion Street
Meaghan Berry, Freeport Drive
Gregory Crescenzo, Jacquith Road
Christina Cuddy, Woburn Street
Kevin Finnerty, Carson Avenue
Kristin Finnerty, Carson Avenue
James Gleason, Kendall Street
Bibiana Gomez, Lord's Court
Kristen Gottsman, Butters Row
Michele Haynes, Bond Street
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23RD ANNUAL CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, JULY 1

- 6:00 7:30 Rotary Club, \$7 **BBQ** (Chicken, Pork Ribs, Potato Salad, Corn on the Cob, Roll & Butter, Drink, Dessert)
 6:00 Horseshoes
 6:00 - 11:00 Carnival
 6:30 Ladies 2-mile Walk (Participants must sign a consent form. Under 18 must be signed by a parent.)
 6:00 - 9:30 Concert by Round About (sponsored by Rotary Club)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 2

- 6:00 7:30 Sons of Italy, \$7 **Chinese** (Pork Lo Mein, Chicken Fingers, Spareribs, Beef Teriyaki, Drink)
 6:00 - 11:30 Carnival
 6:00 Horseshoes
 6:00 3 on 3 Basketball - Age Categories: [16 & 17 (6 pm)]; [18 & up (6:30 pm)]; [40 & over (7:00 pm)]
 6:30 Road Race (Participants must sign a consent form. Under 18 must be signed by a parent.)
 6:30 - 9:30 Concert by Tuxedo Junction (sponsored by Sons of Italy)

THURSDAY, JULY 3

- 6:00 7:30 Knights of Columbus, \$7 **Dinner** (Turkey, Stuffing, Gravy, Mashed Potato, Cranberry Sauce, Vegetable, Roll, Drink)
 6:00 - 11:30 Carnival
 6:00 Horseshoes
 6:00 Hospital Bed Race
 6:00 3 on 3 Basketball - Age Categories: [10 & 11 (6 pm)]; [12 & 13 (6:30 pm)]; [14 & 15 (7:00 pm)]
 6:00 - 9:30 Concert by Shine (sponsored by Knights of Columbus)

FRIDAY, JULY 4 - FAMILY DAY (separate schedule)

- 7:00 - 10:00 Marine Corps, \$4 **Breakfast** (Scrambled Eggs with Bacon, Hash Browns, Corn Bread, Juice, Coffee)
 9:30 - Whiffle Ball
 12:00 Wilmington Community Fund, \$2 **Lunch** (Hot Dog, Potato Chips and Soda)
 12:00 - 5:00 Carnival (ride from 12:00 to 5:00 for just \$7)
 6:00 7:30 Lions Club, \$7 **Dinner** (Chicken Caesar Salad, Twice Baked Potato, Garlic Bread, Drink)
 5:00 - 11:30 Carnival (regular prices)
 6:00 - 9:30 Concert by Hush (sponsored by Lions Club)
 9:00 **FAMILY DAY FIREWORKS** (Rain Date, July 5th)

SATURDAY, JULY 5

- 7:00 - 10:00 Minutemen, \$4 **Breakfast** (Pancakes & Sausage w/Syrup, OJ, Milk, Coffee & Black Powder for Courage)
 12:00 - 11:30 Carnival
 3:00 Chamber of Commerce, \$3 (**Strawberry Shortcake**)
 4:00 - 6:30 Kiwanis Club, \$7 **Dinner** (1/2 Chicken BBQ, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Cranberry Sauce, Roll & Butter, Drink)
 7:30 - 10:00 Concert by Middlesex Band (sponsored by Giant Glass)
 8:00 Raffle Ticket Drawing
 9:30 **SPECTACULAR FIREWORKS** (Rain Date, July 6th)

SUNDAY, JULY 6

- 7:00 - 10:00 Knights of Columbus, \$4 **Breakfast** (Ham with Scrambled Eggs, Home Fries, Corn Bread, Juice, Coffee)
 1:00 - 5:00 Carnival (will operate at \$1 per ride unless fireworks are postponed from Saturday)

It is recommended that all meal tickets be purchased in advance.

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4th of July Headquarters (Hours Open For: Meal Tickets, Merchandise, Register for Events)

Dates	Hours
June 14 through June 30	10:00 am - 2:00 pm
July 1, 2, 3	9:00 am - 11:00 pm
July 4, 5	7:00 am - 11:00 pm
July 6	7:00 am - 10:00 am

All times and events are subject to change without notice.



The Wilmington 4th of July Committee
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THE 9TH ANNUAL WILMINGTON FAMILY DAY 2003

Friday, July 4th

To be held on the Wilmington Town Common

(Rain Date - Saturday, July 5th)

- 7:00 - 10:00 Breakfast on the Common - Marine Corps
 8:00 - 5:00 Travel'n DJ Sounds (sponsored by Kiwanis)
 8:30 Doll Carriage and Bike Parade (assemble on the Common)
 9:00 4th of July Doll Carriage & Bike Parade (Swain School)
 9:30 Whiffle Ball
 9:30 - 1:30 Petting Zoo and Pony Rides
 9:45 Opening Ceremonies - Balloon Artist/Entertainer
 10:00 - 12:00 Clown and Balloon Characters
 - Numerous Characters, Plus Good Fun -
 10:00 - 12:00 Family Events
 10:00 Baby Crawl (1 year old and under)
 10:30 3-legged Race
 11:00 Tug of War
 11:15 Exhibition performed by Wilmington High School Cheerleaders
 11:30 Hula Hoop Contest
 12:00 \$2.00 Family Day Lunch on the Common (sponsored by Community Fund)
 12:00 - 5:00 Carnival (ride from 12 noon to 5 pm for \$7.00)
 Arm bands available from 9 am to 12 noon on the Town Common and 12 noon to 5 pm at the Carnival
 12:30 Sack Race
 1:00 Water Balloon Toss
 2:00 Bucket Brigade
 5:00 - 11:30 Carnival - Regular Prices
 6:00 - 7:30 Lions Club Dinner
 6:00 - 9:30 Concert by Hush (sponsored by Lions Club)
 9:00 **FAMILY DAY FIREWORKS**

Note: Spectacular Fireworks Display will be on Saturday, July 5th

All times and events subject to change without notice



MISTRESS MILDRED ROTHWELL admires the new baptism font that has been added to Saint Dorothy's Church as a result of the months of renovations there.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Tewksbury Golden Age Club

Tewksbury Golden Age Club's next scheduled meeting will be held Tuesday, July 8. This will include the annual cookout and the meal will be served starting at noon. The usual hamburgers and hot dogs with all the trimmings will be served. We will be having entertainment by Tammy's Dance Connection.

Each year Tammy's students present a great performance. After the performance there will be a few surprises. The tickets for this event sell out fast so don't be left out. The cost will be \$5. The time of sale will be listed on the Golden Age Club bulletin board.

By the time this writing is printed, rehearsals for "A Nite at the Movies" will be in full

wing. Please check the bulletin board to see when the next rehearsals will be held and if you need to attend.

For those of you going overnight to Mohegan and Foxwood please be reminded that the bus leaves the Senior Center at 6:15 a.m. Please park your cars at the tree line.

Trip: Ohio's Northeast Corner deposits are still being accepted.

Gavins Hill Resort deposits are now due.

Our sympathy to the family of members Sam Wilkie and Karl Heidenrich. They will both be sadly missed.

Happy birthday and happy anniversary to all those celebrating this month.

Jaclyn Eldridge, Lianne Fogg graduate Plymouth State

WILMINGTON - Jaclyn Eldridge and Lianne Fogg, both of Wilmington, were among the 593 graduates honored by Plymouth State College (PSC) at its 132nd commencement May 17.

PSC President Donald P. Wharton presided over the conferral of degrees, which included Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science and Associates degrees.

Michael Muccio graduates Bentley College

Tewksbury - Michael P. Muccio of Tewksbury was awarded a Masters of Science in Accountancy degree from the Bentley College McCallum Graduate School of Business in Waltham on May 17.

Daniel P. Burnham, chairman and CEO of Raytheon Company, addressed the 538

members of the Class of 2003 and their guests at Bentley's 28th Graduate School commencement exercises.

Michael earned an undergraduate degree from Bentley College and is currently employed as an external auditor at KPMG in Boston.

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Garden in Tewksbury: The Agricultural Commission is now taking applications for plots of land to be worked and harvested by local residents. You do not need to be a Tewksbury resident. Cost is \$15 and includes turned over ground in the spring and water.

Those interested should contact Diane Sampson at 978-858-3448 or Don Sutherland at 978-851-6098.

Are you okay? It takes only a minute for you to check in on an elderly neighbor or relative and you may save a life. If you are concerned about a senior adult in your family or neighborhood, contact Minuteman Senior Services at 781-272-7177; 978-263-8720.

VNA Care Network's hospice program needs volunteers in eastern Mass. Training, supervision and support provided. Call 617-547-2620 ext. 3471.

Having a hard time: Feeding your family? Call Project Bread's Food Source Hotline at 1-800-645-8333. The Hotline is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Moms & Tots: sponsored by Tewks. United Methodist Church, South and Main; drop by any and all Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to noon. Call 978-658-9551.

Second Wed: Of Each month, 7 p.m., Shawsheen River Watershed Assoc. meets at Tewks Public Library, Chandler Street at Main. Call Steve, 978-988-9528 or 978-692-4089.

Big Brother/Big Sister is running a car campaign to support their mentoring programs. Prospective donors need to know that only those who itemize their taxes may take the fair market value as a contribution. Determining the value of the car is completely up to the donor, therefore, Big Brother/Big Sisters will not give a value. Call 1-800-859-6526.

Second and fourth Wed.: The Tewksbury Chapter of the American Chronic Pain Assoc. meets the second and fourth Wed. of each month at 7 p.m. Call 978-640-9497 for information.

Third Sat., of each month: Good Will Industries at Tewks. DPW from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. to collect computers and tvs. Donation of \$5 will be requested.

Every Thurs.: Al-Anon meeting at St. William's Church basement, Main St., Tewksbury; 7:30 p.m. Call Dottie at 978-851-7655.

Thursday evenings:

Merrimack Valley Chorus open rehearsals/auditions, 7:30 p.m., Wil. Arts Council, Rte. 62. Call 978-851-7764; www.merrimackvalleychorus.com

Every Thurs.: Pre-Alateen meeting, 6:15 every Thursday at St. William's Church (basement), 1351 Main St., Tewks. Ages Six-12. Call Dottie at 978-851-7655.

Tues & Thurs: 7 to 11 p.m., Country Storm line dancing lessons with beginners night Thurs; open dancing for all 8-11 p.m. at VFW Hall, Vernon Street.

Sen. Sue Tucker Office Hours at Tewksbury Public Library. Call 617-722-1612.

Support our Troops: The VFW on Vernon Street, Tewksbury has started accepting donations for care packages for our troops overseas. Those who would like to take part are urged to leave items at the VFW Hall entrance, back of the building between noon and 10 p.m. or call 978-657-4711 or 978-851-3819.

Third Saturday: On the third Saturday of each month, Tewks. residents can take old fluorescent light bulbs to the DPW from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for safe and proper disposal. There is no charge for this service. Call 978-455-5164.

Thurs., June 19: Tewksbury Council on Aging meets at the Senior Center. All welcome. Call 978-640-4482.

June 19, 20: 8:30 a.m., AARP 55 - Alive two day course will be offered. Call 978-640-4482.

Fri., June 20: 8 a.m. Tewks. Comm. Pantry annual golf tourney at Tewks. Country Club. Call 978-262-9029.

Fri., June 20: 6:30 p.m., Senior Center monthly dance with music by Perfect Match Band. Call 978-640-4482.

Sat., June 21: 2 p.m., at Tewksbury Hospital; Maxwell Coffee House.

Mon., June 23: 6 p.m., Silvertones concert at Tewksbury Hospital.

Mon., June 23: Continued annual town meeting at the high school.

Tues., June 24: 9 to 10 a.m., Rep. Finegold office hour at Tewks. Senior Center.

Wed., June 25: 7 p.m., reception opens Tewks. Public Library photography exhibit documenting life in rural Ireland. Public invited; refreshments will be served. Exhibit will continue through the month of July.

Sat., June 28: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Giant Yard Sale at Tewks. Senior Center, 175 Chandler St.,

Call 978-640-4482.

Sat., June 28: 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Car Wash at Tewks. Knights of Columbus 2070 Main Street. All donations will be appreciated and will benefit the Wynn Middle School Hockey Team.

Fri., July 4: 6:30 p.m., Patient Sing-a-Long at Tewksbury Hospital.

Tues., July 8: Noon, Tewksbury Golden Age Club annual cookout for paid up members. Contact Rose at 978-640-4480.

Tues., July 8: 3 p.m., Tewks. Book Discussion Club meets at Tewks. Pub. Lib. to discuss "Flight 116 is Down."

Thurs., July 10: 1 to 3 p.m., WCTV Kids Show begins; runs through the end of August. Call 978-657-4066.

Sat., July 12: 2 p.m., Lowell Accordion Orchestra at Tewksbury Hospital.

Sun., July 13: 9 a.m. to noon, Tewks. Community Pantry, 999 Whipple Road, open for distribution; 978-858-2273.

Mon., July 14: 7 to 8:30 p.m. Tewks. Community Pantry at 999 Whipple Rd. at the intersection of Pine Street open for distribution. Call 978-858-2273.

Wed., July 16: 2 p.m., Andover Senior Choral Group at Tewksbury Hospital.

Sat., July 19: 10 a.m. to noon, Tewks. Community Pantry open for distribution at 999 Whipple Road. Call 978-858-2273.

Mon., July 21: Deadline for proposals to Elder Services of Merrimack Valley, Inc. from non-profits and other agencies that want to apply for Federal Title III funds under the Older Americans Act. Call 978-683-7747 x 475.

Tues., July 22: 2 p.m., The Singing Trooper at Tewksbury Hospital.

Tues., July 22: 3 p.m., Cool Collages Workshop, 3 p.m., at Tewks. Pub. Lib. Make a photomontage from photos and imagination no artistic skills or sign up required.

July 23: Tewks. Seniors trip to Rockingham Park for live harness racing. Call 978-640-4482.

Tues., Aug. 5: 3 p.m., Tewks. Book Discussion Club meets at Tewks. Pub. Lib. to discuss "Wild Man Island."

Aug. 12-14: 1 to 3 p.m., Peggy Rambach's workshop series. Register starts Aug. 1.

Fri., Nov. 28: 7 p.m. to midnight. TMHS Class of '73 reunion at Tewksbury Country Club. Group needs help locating former classmates. Call 978-851-4094 or 978-815-4667 for reservations or to assist.

July 2003 Distribution Dates:

Sunday, July 13, from 9 a.m. to noon;
Monday, July 14, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., and
Saturday, July 19, from 10 a. to noon.

Tewksbury Community Pantry

TEWKSBURY - Tewksbury residents who are having trouble making financial ends meet can receive food assistance from the Tewksbury Community Pantry. Proof of residency and social security numbers for every member of the household are required at

the time of application. The Pantry is located at 999 Whipple Road, at the intersection of Pine Street. (behind the Department of Public Works building). For more information, call 978-858-2273 and leave a message. We will return your call.



HOP TO IT. Frankie Porfido took the lead over classmates Mike Procacini, Danny Adams and Justin Ducom during a sack race that was held when eighth graders held their Field Day in Tewksbury on Thursday, June 12.

(Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Musical Fit Kids coming to the Burbank YMCA

READING - The Burbank YMCA has introduced Musical Fit Kids, the first music and fitness program for youth ages 5-12. While learning how to play a variety of percussion instruments (drums), kids will explore how rhythm is part of both music and physical activity. In addition to developing their musicianship, participants will learn safe and effective ways to stay healthy and strengthen the body. Aimed at promoting a lifelong enjoyment of both music and physical activity, this unique program is ideal for all young people. Musical Fit Kids is the perfect summer activity for kids who enjoy music, may not want to play a sport, or are simply looking for a fun approach to exercising.

Studies have shown that kids involved in the arts tend to consistently score higher on both the math and science portions of the SAT's, as well as on other standardized exams. People have long been aware of the benefits of exercising and eating right, but only recently have they begun to see how music can also contribute to a healthy life. Music is an avenue

of expression that has the power to reach people of all ages. It is the universal language that has the ability to bring people of all backgrounds together. When young people come together to make music as participants of musical Fit Kids, they will have the opportunity to develop their creativity and learn the value of teamwork in the process. The pairing of music with fitness is an innovative approach to teaching children the YMCA character values of caring, honesty,

respect and responsibility.

Wakefield resident Matt Eaton will run this exciting program. Matt is in his fourth year as a music education major at the University of New Hampshire and is a personal trainer at the Burbank YMCA. Registration begins June 1. No prior musical experience necessary. Space is limited, so don't delay! For more information, contact the fitness department at the Reading YMCA Center (781) 944-9622 x230.

Wilmington Rotary supports Winchester Hospital

WILMINGTON - The Wilmington Rotary Club was pleased to assist Winchester Hospital in their annual Big Steps for Little People campaign.

At a recent meeting, Club President Donna Wayman presented a check for \$1,000 to Glenn Welch of the Winchester Hospital Foundation. Big Steps for Little People is an annual road race and walk sponsored by the hospital, with all pro-

ceeds benefiting the hospital's Special Care Nursery, Labor and Delivery, and Pediatrics units.

Wilmington Rotary Club makes an annual contribution in addition to several club members participating in the race/walk. This year, Dan Vassallo, WHS Class of 2003, took first place in the road race. Dan is a member of WHS's Rotary Interact Club and an avid runner.

Wilmington datebook

Are you okay? It takes only a minute for you to check in on an elderly neighbor or relative and you may save a life. If you are concerned about a senior adult in your family or neighborhood, contact Minuteman Senior Services at 781-272-7177; 978-263-8720.

Any Saturday: Take an older friend to lunch at Focaccia's, 2 Lowell Street, Wilmington, and your lunch will be free. Reservations suggested; 978-988-7999.

VNA Care Network's hospice program needs volunteers in eastern Mass. Training, supervision and support provided. Call 617-547-2620 ext. 3471.

Having a hard time: Feeding your family? Call Project Bread's Food Source Hotline at 1-800-645-8333. The Hotline is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Goodwill Industries of Merrimack Valley is seeking donations for its Mass., N.H. stores. Call 866-453-0351.

LaLeche League of Wilmington meets at Winchester Hospital Family Medical Center, 500 Salem St., on the second Friday of each month starting at 10 a.m. Call 978-657-8301.

Second Thurs: of each month, 8 p.m., Wil. Minutemen Company meet at

Headquarters, at the rear of Harnden Tavern, Woburn Street, near the corner of Rt. 62 in No. Wilmington. Meetings are open to any man or woman interested in local history.

All day, every day: Free blood pressure clinic at Wilmington Fire Station; 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., weekends included. No appointment necessary.

Tues., Thurs: Evenings at 7 and Friday at 10 a.m., Internet classes at Wil. Mem. Library. Call 658-2967.

Thursday evenings: Merrimack Valley Chorus open rehearsals/auditions, 7:30 p.m., Wil. Arts Council, Rte. 62. Call 978-851-7764; www.merrimackvalleychorus.com

LaLeche League of Wilmington is a non-profit organization offering breastfeeding support and information through monthly meetings open to pregnant and nursing mothers from Wilmington and surrounding towns. Meetings are held at Winchester Hospital Family Medical Center, 500 Salem St., on the second Friday of each month starting at 10 a.m. Call 978-694-1012.

Computer basics: One hour classes at Wil. Mem. Lib; 7 p.m. Thursdays. Call 978-694-2099.

Big Brother/Big Sister is running a car campaign to support

their mentoring programs! Prospective donors need to know that only those who itemize their taxes may take the fair market value as a contribution. Determining the value of the car is completely up to the donor, therefore, Big Brother/Big Sisters will not give a value. Call 1-800-859-6526.

St. Elizabeth Chapel: At the corner of Forest Street and Aldrich Road, offers a monthly healing service. Call 978-658-2487.

Every Thursday: at Wil. Mem. Lib. volunteer Ed Jones teaches a class in computer basics. Call 694-2099 to register.

Thurs., June 19: Friends of Wil. Mem. Lib sixth annual book sale at the library. Books will be available at 50 cents for paperback and \$1.00 for most hardcovers. The sale will be open June 19 for Friends Night from 5 to 9; Fri., June 20 and Sat., June 21 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 978-658-2967.

June 21-22: 10 to 4; 1 to 4 (Sunday) at Wil. Arts Council, Route 62 (old town hall); Wil. Arts Council 23rd Annual Art Show. Admission free. Call 978-658-9798.

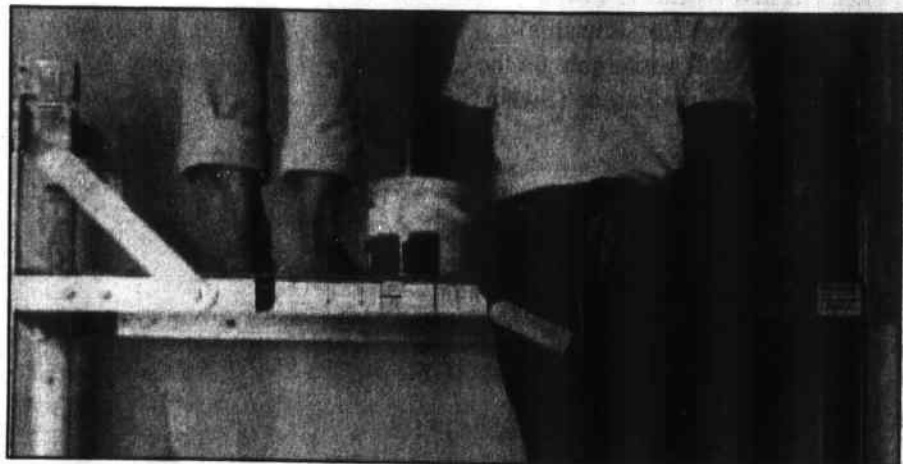
Mon., June 23: 6:30 p.m., Teen Comics Club meets at the library.

June 23-27: WCTV Video Vacation Camp. Call 978-657-4066 or email wctvjessica@hgt-mail.com.

Thurs., June 26: 7 p.m., Wynn Middle School auditorium, Environmental Challenges, A Personal Perspective, a presentation sponsored by Concerned Citizens Network. Call 978-658-7754.

Mon., July 21: Deadline for proposals to Elder Services of Merrimack Valley, Inc. from non-profits and other agencies that want to apply for Federal Title III funds under the Older Americans Act. Call 978-683-7747 x 475.

Fri., Aug. 1: 10 to 11 a.m., free sports physical for female athletes; 11 a.m. to noon, free sports physical for male athletes. There is no makeup date. This is the only date to participate in free physicals!!



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Four Wilmington Historic Districts eligible for National Register Listing

WILMINGTON - William F. Galvin, Secretary of the Commonwealth has announced that the Massachusetts Historical Commission approved Buck's Corner, Church Street, Gowing-Sheldon and High Street Historic Districts as eligible for listing in the National Registry of Historic Places. The nominations will be submitted to the National Registry of Historic Places at the National Park Service in Washington, DC for final consideration and designation.

In the 40 years the Massachusetts Historical Commission has been in existence, it has endeavored to preserve the Commonwealth's her-

itage," Secretary Galvin said. "Since the National Register of Historic Places began, the MHC has nominated over 62,000 resources for listing there, thereby preserving the archaeological and cultural life of Massachusetts generations past for the generations to come."

Buck's Corner, Church Street, Gowing-Sheldon and High Street Historic Districts are residential areas that reflect community planning principles and residential settlement of Wilmington. The districts contain well-preserved houses dating back to the late 17th century in the Buck's Corner District to most recently the mid-20th century in the Church Street Historic District.

The Historic Districts are four of 13 resources around the Commonwealth being approved for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places by the Massachusetts Historical Commission at its June meeting. Secretary Galvin serves as chairman of the 18 member board, which meets once a month and considers cultural resources eligible for the National Register four times a year.

The National Register is the nation's official listing of significant cultural resources. The Massachusetts Historical Commission has been administering the National Register Program since 1966.



A VISIT FROM THE BISHOP. Bishop Richard G. Lennon stopped by St. Dorothy's Church in Wilmington on Father's Day and joined parishioners in a celebration of their newly renovated church. Bishop Lennon is seen here with Father Kevin Horrigan and, from left to right, altar servers Kristina Tummino, Jessica Weaver, Alyssa Kerr, Amanda Brazell and Jenna Viner. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Summer splashing at YMCA

READING - The Burbank YMCA is excited about the upcoming Summer Session. They have over 140 preschool through teen swim lessons to choose from. Children can start swim lessons as young as six months. That means every child can learn to swim.

The Aquatic Department has continued with the highly popular Summer session running swim lessons twice a week for four weeks. They will continue to run the popular eight week session, with classes once per week, running from June 30-August 24. The four week sessions will be June

30-July 27 and July 28-August 24.

"The classes we are offering twice a week are great for parents who want to get their children ready for a summer of swimming. The classes give children the opportunity to strengthen their strokes and see a marked improvement in their abilities," said Aquatics Director Donna Griffith.

The Aquatics Department has a wide variety of classes for adults through children. The oh-so-popular Aerobics classes will run morning, early afternoon and evening. This is a high intensity workout in a safe, non-weight-bearing environment. Water spinning starts with the basic moves of cycling to various hand and leg movements that become increasingly challenging. Aqua yoga and aqua kickboxing are also great for a cardio water workout.

Summer registration began recently with member and program member drop-off, mail-in, fax-in and on-line registration.

You will find something for everyone no matter what level you are. For more information about these programs or to receive a brochure containing all programs, call 781-944-9622.



SPINNING. Given that Celtics shirt, you have to wonder if eighth grader Mike Webber, of Tewksbury, can do with a basketball what he is doing with that Frisbee. The same question, for that matter, could be asked of his friend, Stephen Tecce. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Wilmington Library Notes

by Christina Stewart

Color Your World—Read! Drawing Contest

We are pleased to announce the winners of this year's summer reading program drawing contest, part of the Massachusetts Statewide Summer Library Adventure, Read! Think! Create! @ your library", which celebrates the arts.

The theme of the drawing contest, Color Your World—Read!, inspired seventy-seven children to enter their creative drawings that are all posted on the stairwell leading to the Children's Room. The entries include an illustration of rainbows and children reading under a shady tree or in outer space. Some children chose to feature their favorite books, such as Redwall by Brian Jacques and Holes by Louis Sachar. Others expressed the celebration of children reading around the world noting that "a colorful world is an open book." One picture profoundly states, "No Books=No Color".

The winners are:

Ages 5 & 6 First Prize, Jocelyn Clavin; Second Prize, Matthew Gagnon

Ages 7 & 8 First Prize, Taylor Mirabito; Second Prize, Nora Brown; Third Prize, Taylor Higgins; Honorable Mentions Christa Brent, Ryan Sweeney, Gabri Brent, Maryanna DiRupo and Meenal Goyal

Age 9 First Prize, Melissa Alesi; Second Prize, Cathy Mahoney; Third Prize, Lauren Cole

Age 10 First Prize, Jenny Garrard; Second Prize, Tyler Valente

Age 11 First Prize, Alex Leiskau; Second Prize, Thomas Valente

Age 12 First Prize, Anna Doten; Second Prize, Melissa Mahoney; Third Prize, William Bukowski

Age 13 & 14 First Prize, Melody Mulvaney; Second Prize, Katie Cole

Rick Goldin Concert

Perennial favorite, Rick Goldin, will present a program of original and familiar songs, puppets and rhythm band instruments (for the audience)

on Tuesday, June 24th at 10 am. Children ages 2 and older and their caregivers are invited to reserve their tickets by visiting or calling the Children's Room at (978) 694-2098. Sponsored through the Community Partnerships for Children grant by the Massachusetts Department of Education.

Face & Body Art for Teens

Looking to try some neat designs for your face, arm or forehead that you can show off (and wash off)? Professional artist Rob Bianco will be at the library on July 1st from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. for this special teen program. Get a "new look" for the week of the 4th of July activities! Space is limited to 20 teens. Don't delay...reserve your spot for this unique program by visiting the Teen area (on the 2nd floor) or by calling (978) 694-2098 beginning on Thursday, June 19th.

Door prize! Thanks to the Wilmington Rotary Club for sponsoring this program.

Over Forty Teens Enjoy End of School Party

Our first ever "End of the School Year Party" for teens was a big hit! On Tuesday, June 12th, forty-four middle and high school students gathered at the library to listen to the local teen rock band, Four of Clubs. The band played for two hours and even offered a great acoustic set! Congratulations to Erin Lloyd, the winner of the door prize, the best-selling book Journals by Kurt Cobain. Thanks to The Friends of the Library for funding this successful event!

More Summer Reading Events

June 20 Pavement Pictures 10-11 am All ages Chalk art in Wildwood Street parking lot Radio Disney Ice Cream Truck Free treats! Prizes donated by the Friends of the Library

June 20 Wizard Crafts 12-5 pm All ages Drop-in

June 21 Wizard Crafts 9 am-5 pm All ages Drop-in Drawing for Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix by J. K. Rowling (donated by the Friends) held at 3 pm Get your entry blank in your FREE Summer Reading Kit

June 23 Teen Comics Club 6:30 pm Special Guest, Comic Book Illustrator, Lloyd Meek Door prize! Registration begins

June 12 Sponsored by the Friends of the Library

June 25 Time for Twos 10 am Drop-in story time for two year-olds & caregivers

June 25 Book Discussion: The Folk Keeper by Franny Billingsley 12 pm Recommended for ages 10 & older Bring your lunch! Drop-in

June 27 Papa Joe Presents "Step Into a Story" 10 am Ages 2 to 5 Tickets available June 19 Sponsored through the Community Partnerships for Children grant by the Massachusetts Department of Education

June 27 Teen Book Discussion: Hair Apparent by Vivian Vande Velde 12 pm Bring your lunch! Drop-in

June 30 Sparky's Puppets Presents "The Kingdom of Riddles" 7 pm Ages 3 & older Tickets available June 19 Sponsored through the Community Partnerships for Children grant by the Massachusetts Department of Education

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Friends Annual Book Sale Begins June 19th

The Friends Annual Book Sale will begin with "Members Night" on Thursday, June 19th from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. New members are welcome to join at the door to get first crack at a great selection of book bargains. The book sale will be open to everyone on Friday June 20th 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturday, June 21st from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Hardcover books are \$1.00 and paperbacks are 50 cents. The Friends Book Sale is an annual fundraiser to benefit the Wilmington Memorial Library.

Saturday & Sunday 23rd Annual Art Show

WILMINGTON - The Wilmington Arts Council will hold its 23rd annual art show at the Arts Center, Route 62, June 21 and 22. Artists from Wilmington, Tewksbury, Reading, North Reading, Woburn and many more surrounding towns, will display

their work. There are five categories of work being displayed - watercolors, oils and acrylics, photography, other media and student work from the watercolor students at the Arts Center.

Ribbons will be given out in each category. Professional

artists from the Brush Gallery in Lowell are this year's judges. They include an oil painter, a watercolor and acrylic painter and a quilt artist.

Admission is free. Hours are 10 to 4 Saturday and 1 to 4 Sunday. Many of the pieces will be offered for sale.

Tewksbury Hospital summer concert series

TEWKSBURY - Summer Concerts to be presented at Tewksbury Hospital are made possible by a generous contribution from the Tewksbury Lions Club and the donation of time by all the performers.

Additional support is received by Morrison Management Specialist and the Tewksbury Hospital Trustees Endowment

Fund, Inc.

The schedule:

Sunday, June 21, 2 p.m., Maxwell Coffee House.

Monday, June 23, 6 p.m., Silvertones

Friday, July 4, 6:30 p.m., Patient Sing-a-Long

Saturday, July 12, 2 p.m., Lowell Accordion Orchestra

Wednesday, July 16, 2 p.m.,

Andover Senior Choral Group

Tuesday, July 22, 2 p.m., The Singing Trooper

Saturday, July 26, 2 p.m., Maxwell Coffee House

Friday, August 1, 1:30 p.m., The Musicworks, Inc.

Wednesday, August 6, 2 p.m., Ray Lafortune

Friday, August 15, 1:30 p.m., Tewksbury Hospital All Stars.

Tewksbury Library photography exhibit

TEWKSBURY - The Tewksbury Public Library will host a photography exhibit documenting life in rural Ireland beginning Wednesday, June 25 and running through the month of July. A reception to mark the opening of the exhibit will be held in the library's meeting room at 7 p.m. June 25. The public is invited. Refreshments will be served, courtesy of the Friends of the Library.

In County Kerry, Ireland, the small village of Bonane is nestled among the Caha Mountains in the scenic area between Kenmare and Glengariff. Since February 2003, a local women's group has been photographing life in the community of 230 residents, under the direction of professional photographer Eileen O'Leary. A freelance photojournalist, O'Leary has spent the past decade working with amateur photographers for a Documentary Photography Project to capture the uniqueness of life in villages and rural areas of Ireland.

During a previous exhibition of the Bonane photographs, O'Leary said, "I have been inspired by the great documentary photographers of our time. The images that remain behind as the result of the work of photographers such as Dorothea Lange and Fr. Browne have imprinted on my mind how vital it is to record our social history. I believe that the importance of the work I am engaged in is that

it involves communities documenting their own lives, their culture and the people who are special to them. The result of the work is highly valued by all those people for whom 'home' is a village in Ireland; the work will become more special as the years go by and is reflected upon by their grandchildren in years to come."

Enjoy the rugged beauty of the Irish countryside by viewing the exhibit during normal library hours: Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and on Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The library is closed Saturdays during July and August.

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Obituaries

Charles R. Arsenault

Managed Mancini's Restaurant in Wilmington

WILMINGTON - Charles R. Arsenault, 50, a longtime resident of Wilmington, died suddenly in Maine on June 16, 2003. Born in Stoneham, MA on August 4, 1952, he was the son of the late George and Maud (Jackson) Arsenault. Mr. Arsenault is survived by his wife Ruth (Dubord) Arsenault, a son Jason Arsenault, and a daughter Kelly Arsenault, both of Wilmington. He was the brother of George Arsenault of Virginia Beach, VA, Steve Arsenault of Sanford, Maine, Jeannette (Arsenault)

O'Connor of Ocala, FL, and Joan (Arsenault) Phillips of Wilmington, MA.

Mr. Arsenault was the manager of Mancini's Restaurant for 33 years.

Visiting hours will be held at the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., (Rt 62), Wilmington, on Friday, June 20, 2003 from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m., followed by a Prayer Service at 7:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Lucetta H. Euloth

Office manager at Metcalf Refrigeration; 87

TEWKSBURY - Lucetta H. (Uloth) Euloth, 87, a former office manager in Malden, died Thursday morning, June 12, at the home of her daughter in Tewksbury.

She was the wife of the late Ernest A. Euloth, who died in 1993.

She was born in Nova Scotia, Feb. 15, 1916, and was raised in Canada. She emigrated to the U.S. and settled in Malden, where she had lived the greater part of her life. She retired to Orange City in Florida 23 years ago, but returned to Tewksbury in 2001.

She was employed as an office manager for Metcalf Refrigeration in Malden until her retirement.

She was honored as a 50 year member of the Order of the

Eastern Star, and was also a member of the Lady Doric society in Nova Scotia.

She is survived by one daughter and son-in-law, "Bonnie" Ruby and her husband Kenneth McGonagle of Tewksbury.

She was also sister of the late Adrienne Fraser and Earl Uloth.

Relatives and friends were received Monday from 4 to 7 p.m. in the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center, phone (800 or 978) 851 2950. Her funeral service was Monday evening at 7 p.m. in the funeral home. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the V.N.A. of Middlesex East, 607 North Ave., Suite 17, Wakefield, MA 01880 will be appreciated.

Constance C. Ferguson

Worked as teacher and for Christian Science Monitor

VICI, OK - Constance C. Ferguson, daughter of Frank and Amy (Shelton) Powell, was born in Boston, Massachusetts on January 20, 1923. She left this life on June 13, 2003 at the age of 80.

Constance married Edmund Ferguson on March 6, 1943 in her parent's home in Wilmington, Massachusetts. She and her devoted husband Ed were married 60 years. They made their home in Wilmington, Massachusetts and later moved to Vici, Oklahoma.

She lived most of her life in Wilmington where they raised their family. Connie worked as a schoolteacher and in the office of the Christian Science Monitor.

Connie was a member of the Women's Club of Wilmington, and she loved to craft and sew. She attended the First Christian Church in Vici and truly enjoyed her time there. Connie practiced Christian Science as her primary faith.

After a serious illness in 2001, Connie and Ed moved to Vici, Oklahoma to be near their son and his family. She lived her final days exploring and enjoying parts of Oklahoma and meeting new folks in town.

Her parents, Frank and Amy Powell, preceded Connie in death.

She is survived by her loving husband Edmund of the home;



her son, Scott Ferguson and wife Jan of Vici, Oklahoma; her daughter, Nancy Joyner of North Carolina; five granddaughters, Amy, Jessica, Sarah, Rynne, and Kaitlyn; two grandsons, David and Jed; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other family and a host of friends.

A Memorial Service was held Tuesday, June 17, 2003 at the First Christian Church, Vici, Oklahoma. Services arranged by Shaw Funeral Home, Vici, Oklahoma.

Rene M. Madore

Carpenter, of Wilmington

Rene M. Madore, age 35 years, of Wilmington, died accidentally, June 10, near his home.

Rene was born on Saturday, November 18, 1967, in Waltham, the son Rene R. and Virginia



(Crowe) Madore both of Wilmington.

He had attended Shawsheen Valley Technical High School in Billerica for 3 years and graduated from Wilmington High

School. He was currently employed as a Carpenter.

Aside from his parents, Rene is survived by his wife Theresa M. (McCarthy) Madore; his son Derek Madore of Wilmington; his brother Richard Madore and his wife Charlotte of Nashua, N.H.; his sisters Rena Bowden and her husband Tom of Wilmington and Rita Howland and her husband Scott of Nashua, N.H. Also survived by several nieces and nephews.

His funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street (Rt 38), Wilmington, on Saturday morning at 8:45.

followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Dorothy's Church on 10:00 AM. Interment took place in Wildwood Cemetery, in Wilmington. For Guest Book and Information please visit www.cavanaughfuneralhome.com.

Audrey F. Ring

Over 60 years in Wilmington

Audrey F. (Castadoro) Ring, age 82 years, of Wilmington, died on June 13, at the Blair House Of Tewksbury.

She was born on Saturday, October 12, 1920, in Medford, the daughter of the late Albert and the late Doris (Lambert) Castadoro. She had lived in Wilmington for over 60 years and had spent summers in Prince Edward Island with her family.

Mrs. Ring was the beloved wife of the late John S. "Stew" Ring, Sr. and is survived by her children John S. "Stew" Ring, Jr. and his wife Cheryl of Wilmington and James A. Ring of Wilmington; her grandchildren Deborah Buendo and her husband Daniel of East Longmeadow, Cynthia Drislane and her husband Matthew of West Newbury and John M. Ring of Wilmington and her great grandchildren Alexandra Buendo and Nicholas Buendo both of East Longmeadow and Rachael Drislane and Amanda Drislane of West Newbury.

Her funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St. (Rt. 38), Wilmington, on Tuesday, (June 17), at 8:45 followed by a



Funeral Mass at St. Thomas Church at 10:00 a.m. Interment took place in the family lot Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Memorial donations in Mrs. Ring's name may be made to the Charity of One's Choice. For Guestbook and Information please visit www.cavanaughfuneralhome.com

Leita B. Ruggiero

active with Wilmington's Veterans organizations

Leita B. (Mason) Ruggiero, age 77 years, of Sterling, MA, died on June 17, 2003, at the Umass Memorial Hospital in Leominster.

Leita was born on December 31, 1925, in Stow, MA, the daughter of the late Edward and the late Hazel Mason. She was a longtime Wilmington resident having been a member of the Wilmington Nee-Ellsworth Post #2458 V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary, the Wilmington American Legion Post #136 and the Marlboro Women of the Moose.

Leita was the beloved wife of the late John J. Ruggiero; and is survived by her children Carolyn (Reynolds) Poore of Florida, formerly of Wilmington, Carmella Liggiero of Freemont, N.H., Sandra Dion of Derry, N.H., Vincent James Ruggiero of Wilmington, Joseph Ruggiero of Sterling and Michele Valente of Wilmington; her grandchildren Michael Liggiero, Richard Liggiero and Maria Spinelli, Christine Escott, Justin Ruggiero, Christopher Ruggiero and Jamie Ruggiero, Johnathan Ruggiero and

Chance Ruggiero, Krystal Valente, Ashley Valente and Tony Valente and 7 great grandchildren. Leita was 1 of 12 children and was also the grand



mother of the late John A. Reynolds and the late Jordan Elizabeth Ruggiero.

Relatives and Friends are invited to attend visiting hours at the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St. (Rt. 38), Wilmington, on Friday, June 20, from 4:00-8:00 p.m. Funeral services following visiting hours at 8:00 p.m. For Guestbook and Information please visit www.cavanaughfuneralhome.com

Catherine A. Wholey

Retired from Tewksbury Water Dept.; 88

TEWKSBURY - Catherine A. (Murphy) Wholey, age 88, a long time Tewksbury resident and former town employee died at home Tuesday, June 17, after a long illness. She was the wife of the late Daniel J. Wholey, who died in 1987.

She was born in Lowell, Jan. 22, 1915, a daughter of the late Daniel J. and Catherine (Sullivan) Murphy. She was raised in Lowell and graduated Lowell High School with the class of 1933. She had resided in Tewksbury since 1956.

She retired from the Tewksbury Water Department staff in the mid-seventies, after 17 years of service.

She was a communicant of St. William's Church, and a former member of the St. William's Sodality. In her later years, she also enjoyed membership in the Tewksbury Golden Age Club.

She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Richard F. and his wife Gail (Dingwall)

Wholey of Gilford, NH, her daughter, Kathleen A. Wholey of Tewksbury, and two sisters, Margaret Nichles and Mary E. Murphy both of Lowell. She was also sister of the late John Murphy and Francis Murphy.

Her funeral is Friday, June 20, at 9:00 a.m. from the Tewksbury Funeral Home, corner of Dewey and Main Sts. (Rte 38) Tewksbury Center, phone (800 or 978) 851 2950. Funeral Mass Friday at 10:00 a.m. in St. William's Church, 1351 Main St. (Rte 38) Tewksbury. Visiting hours Thursday 4 to 7 p.m. G.A.C. service at 5:00 p.m. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, No. Tewksbury.

Memorials to the VNA of Middlesex East - Hospice, 607 North Ave., Suite 17, Wakefield, MA 01880 will be appreciated. www.tewksburyfuneralhome.com

Tewksbury seniors dinner dance Friday

TEWKSBURY - The Council on Aging will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, June 19. The meeting will be held in the crafts room at the Senior Center. All are welcome to attend.

Those people attending the Senior Center dance Friday evening, June 20, are reminded that the buffet will begin at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be followed by dancing to the sounds of the "Perfect Match Band."

Residents are also reminded that the continuation of the annual Town Meeting will take place Monday, June 23 at Tewksbury Memorial High School.

Representative Finegold will hold office hours at the Tewksbury Senior Center Tuesday, June 24 from 9 to 10 a.m.

An arts and crafts meeting will be held Wednesday, June 25 at 9:30 a.m.

Next week's concert on the common will be performed by the "Override" Band. The date is Wednesday, June 25 from 6 to

8 p.m. Concerts are free and will be held each Wednesday evening during the months of June, July and August. Don't forget to take along a chair or blanket. We have run off copies of the scheduled concerts. One may pick up one of these schedules at the front desk of the Senior Center.

The seniors will then hold a giant yard sale at the Senior Center, 175 Chandler Street Saturday, June 28. At present all table spaces have been reserved. However, we are starting a waiting list. The yard sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will include many tables of treasures, a bake table and luncheon specials. Proceeds from this event will help in meeting the expenses of the senior citizens' participation in this year's Memorial Day Parade.

The next activities meeting has been scheduled for Monday, July 7 at 1 p.m. The meeting will be held in the crafts room. All are welcome to attend.

The seniors' next Breakfast

Benefit for the Senior Center Building Fund will be held Sunday, July 13, from 7:30 to 11 a.m. Don't forget to mark your calendars!

Due to the fact that I will be on vacation the beginning of this week, there will be little noted with regard to day trips. However, those traveling to Yokens and Hampton Beach Thursday, June 26, should note the following departure time from the Senior Center - 9:30 a.m.

One may obtain information on the following trips by calling

the Senior Center at 978-640-4480; a Spinners evening game Tuesday, July 1, the "Red, White and Blue" trip of Friday, July 11; the Bill Foster's Lobster Bake Wednesday, July 16, and the "Wait Until Dark" play at the Amesbury Playhouse on July 30. Several other upcoming trips have been noted in previous news columns and have been posted on the bulletin boards at the Senior Center.

A pleasant week is wished to all. God Bless America.

TV crew wanted for new WCTV Kids Show

WILMINGTON - Tired of turning on WCTV and seeing nothing for kids? Well, the Youth Outreach Program is giving middle schoolers and high schoolers the opportunity to change that. Come down to WCTV this summer to participate in the production of a TV series of your choice! There are no rules or format yet, it is to be determined by the crew! With the help of Jessica and Brian, the Youth Outreach Team at WCTV, Wilmington and Tewksbury kids will be given the opportunity to see what goes into producing a weekly tv series and to gain valuable experience that could help prepare them for a career in the television industry. Whether you are interested in tv as a profession or just as a hobby, come have fun this summer at WCTV.

The WCTV Kids Show will start July 10 and run through the end of August. Attendance is not mandatory at every session, but vacations and day trips shouldn't discourage anyone from joining! We will meet every Thursday afternoon from 1 to 3. In this one hour period, we will tape our new episode in the studio and then brainstorm what the subject of our next episode will be. The Youth Outreach Program is open to kids 12 and up.

Registration fee is a flat \$10 for WCTV membership. If you are already a member, the session is free. Please contact Jessica Jacques, Youth Outreach Coordinator at WCTV at 978-657-4066, or email wctvjessica@hotmail.com with questions or to sign up.

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Tewksbury students asked to participate in summer reading program

by Dr. JOSEPH C. WALSH
Assistant Superintendent
Tewksbury Public Schools

TEWKSBURY - This summer all Tewksbury students, from entering kindergarten through grade 11 are asked to read and report on a minimum of three books. Magazines and comics are not part of the program. There are two purposes for this system-wide program:

- * Students will avoid the inevitable "drop off" in reading habits which would result from a three-month absence of reading.

- * Students will enjoy, learn, and/or profit from the reading of at least three books over the summer.

At the elementary level, students may select any three books for the program. Three reading lists of suggested authors at different elementary levels were compiled by the elementary reading specialists and the elementary librarians. Elementary lists have been revised to reflect the recommended "author" lists in the state frameworks for English/Language arts.

Ms. Julie DeRoche, English Department Head and the English staff at the John W. Wynn Middle School have distributed book lists for students entering grades six, seven and eight. These students are to select two books from the list and a third of their choice.

Mr. Robert MacDougal, Humanities Department Head at Tewksbury Memorial High School, with the help of the English staff, has submitted the high school reading list to all students coming to TMHS in the fall. At the high school

level, students who successfully complete the summer reading program will receive credit for their first term English grade.

Copies of the lists and report forms are available at the town library, on line at www.mec.edu/tewksbury, as well as the Curriculum Office, 1469 Andover St., Tewksbury.

At all three levels, students are asked to bring their completed reports (or lists, at the elementary and sixth grade levels), which will include parent signatures, to their new (English) teachers at the start of school in September. With the help of the staff, the administration will compile an accurate accounting of students who successfully complete the program.

Information about the Summer Reading Program is available by calling the Curriculum Office, 640-7810.

We strongly encourage all students, with the help of their parents, to continue their reading activities over the summer. This program is intended to provide a simple structure and motivation for this purpose. Happy summer reading!



CLIMBING TO CONFIDENCE. Shelly Sullivan shot to the top of a rope ladder during an esteem-building exercise at Camp 40 Acres in Wilmington this week. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

Five from Wilmington on honors list at U. Mo. - Rolla

WILMINGTON - John J. Gillis, Timothy M. Robillard, Rebecca L. Rogers, Robert J. Rogers and Scott Andrew Swiezynski, all of Wilmington have been named to the honor list for the 2003 winter semester at the University of Missouri-Rolla.

Gillis, son of John and Mary Ann Gillis, architectural engi-

neering; Robillard, son of Elizabeth and Michael Robillard, freshman engineering; Rebecca Rogers, daughter of Wayne and Patricia Rogers, engineering management; Robert Rogers, son of Joseph and Kelly Rogers, civil engineering; Scott Swiezynski, son of James W. Swiezynski, electrical engineering

Wilmington High School announces fourth quarter honor roll

WILMINGTON - The administration at Wilmington High School has released the honor roll for the fourth quarter with the following students listed:

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Jonathan Baker
Jason Balinski
Erica Barrett
Keith Bernardo
Steven Berry
Matthew Boland
Michael Bozzella
Michelle Brush
Megan Campbell
Erin Carney
Meaghan Carter
Lauren Crowley
Leah DeMaggio
Rachel DiGregorio
Danielle Doucette
Kristen Duggan
Joanne Emerick
Daniel Esdale
Allison Fisher
Shannon Fitzgerald
Tristan Fleming
Kristen Fraser
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Brian Gillespie
Keri Gillespie
Shannon Gilligan
Matthew Goldblatt
Stephanie Goodland
Nicole Greco
Jason Gustin
Joel Guzinski
Katie Halas
Shelley Hardimon
Tana Hardimon
Michael Harrison
Courtney Hassey
Robert Hayes
Marianne Hery
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Douglas Horan
Brittany Irwin
Michael Jordan
Kristin Kanter
Athena Karalekas
Deirdre Kelley
Kathleen Khan
Christopher Kittredge
Matthew Leccese
Jennifer Lee
John Lee
Shannon Loring
Douglas Lyons
Lauren MacDonald
Valerie Mangano
Jacqueline Martin
Amanda Mauriello
Erin McFeeters
Catherine Michaud
Caitlin Nee
Christina Ng
Jaclyn Nikodemus
Sean Osgood
David Perkins
Caroline Powers
Forum Raval
Jennifer Rogers

Lindsay Rosa
Stephen Sperandio
Danielle Spry
Alexander Stevenson
Laura Storey
Mary Sullivan
Jill Swartwout
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Daniel Vassallo
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David Velardo
Alexis Wade
Robert Wade
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Jodi Zeppi
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Michael Cavallaro
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Jennifer Ciaramella
Michael Cullen
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Elyse Gambardella
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Amy Guzell
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Brandon Kelly
Talia Khan
Kenneth Luongo
Michael MacPherson
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Melissa Marques
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Lisa Martiniello
Jared Miller
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Christopher Ng
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Eric Pelletier
Kevin Pizzotti
Lauren Rappoli
Kathryn Riley
Jacqueline Robarge
Dennis Robillard
Rachele See
Michelle Shipley
Sarah Silverio
Maria Sorrentino

Robert Southey III
Jillian Stira
Kimberly Strazzere
Ashley Sullivan
Tim Tessnow
Douglas Tranghese
Teresa Zeppi
Tiffany Zolt
Class of 2005

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Alicia Braid
Jennifer Bresnahan
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Lani Cabral-Pini
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Arielle Cimeno
Kevin Cole
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Jennifer Corcoran
Laura Crawford
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Robert Crowe Jr.
Richard Cummings
Ryan Curtis
Michael Damplo
Celine DeMaggio
Victor Dell Isola
Kristen Donovan
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Katelyn Enwright
Jessica Farnsworth
Amanda Figueiredo
Janice Folk
William Gardynski
Ashley Greco
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Emily Largent
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Christina Miele
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Ryan Murphy
Christopher Murray
Linda Nguyen
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Ryan Trulli
Evan Walsh
Meredith Welch
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Mary Worthington



BUDDING SCHOLAR. John Melloni, who will start the second grade this fall, was honored with a High Academic Achievement award for the smarts he demonstrated at the Heath Brook School as a first grader. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)

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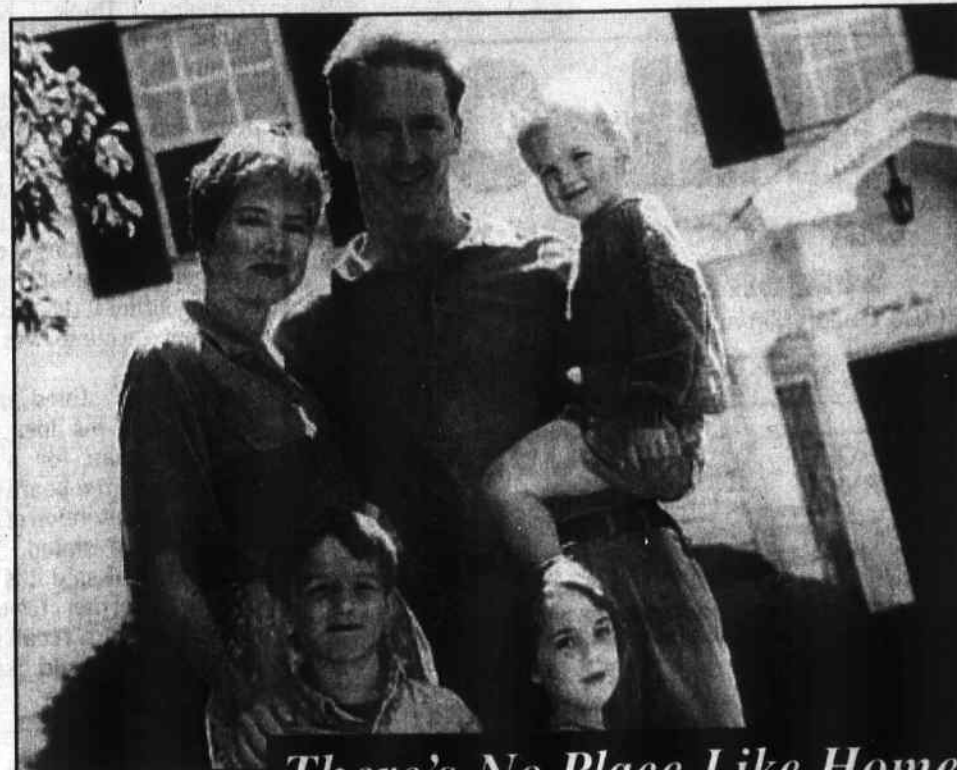
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Local author never says "Goodbye"

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nation with the effect that Cystic Fibrosis can have on young people.

"The idea that this disease strikes children and that children have to be so strong at such a young age really inspired me to research and write about it," says Cagnina.

Cagnina, who donates frequently to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, read a few books on the topic before she wrote her own. Now that "Goodbye" has been published, Cagnina plans to donate a portion of the book's sales to finding a cure for the disease.

According to Cagnina, her book integrates her research of the disease with an "inspiring story" that can reach all ages.

"It's a love story about a teenage girl who has Cystic Fibrosis," Cagnina describes. "She has lived somewhat of a sheltered life, living in and out of hospitals. She meets a boy her age that is working at the hospital for the summer and they become friends and, even-

tually, fall in love. The story deals with the huge differences in their lives and how they are able to help one another."

Cagnina begins her tale with a quote from Bon Jovi, a rock band that she has enjoyed since she was a kid. The selection of the quote is proving to be a ritual for her style of writing.

"I like to quote a song in the beginning of each book," she explains. "In my first book, I quoted Frank Sinatra because I dedicated the book to my father. He loved Sinatra."

Cagnina, who likes to read romance novels penned by Danielle Steele and Nora Roberts, regards her own budding writing career as a hobby so far. By day, she makes use of her Bachelor's degree in dance by working as a full-time dance instructor. She is also the director of aerobics at her gym as well.

What will she do as an encore? Cagnina does not have a third book in the works, but she suspects that she may very well start another one this sum-

mer.

Both Cagnina's books, "Never Say Goodbye" and "For Better, For Worse," are available through Booklocker.com, and Internet-based publishing company, Amazon.com and the Ingram catalogue.

If you're hooked on romances too, there is, alas, a way to snatch a copy of Cagnina's books for a lower price. Cagnina, who can sell her books at a cost less than the publishing companies, can be reached at vcagnina@hotmail.com.

Mr. Smith's classroom

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and possible by the guidance of a good teacher.

"Mr. Smith is a really nice teacher, and he taught us step by step," Sorrentino says. "If we needed anything, he was there to help."

Most of the students agree that plunging their hands into a clay-like joint compound and making the river's landscape was most enjoyable.

"My favorite part of the project was using the joint compound to make the mountains around the river," says Jason Baker.

Adds Mike McDonagh, "I liked working with my friends." For the budding artists in the group, the fun was found in

New trash contract will save town \$800K

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prised of individual contracts, not a multi-community one.

Under its current contract, NESWC will have to negotiate in good faith with WNA for its waste disposal. If NESWC communities cannot reach an agreement after such negotiations and choose to enter a contract with another party, then they are required to return to

WNA and provide them with the right of first refusal.

Earlier this year, negotiations between the Strategic Planning Committee and WNA produced three options for refuse disposal after September of 2005. The three choices involved contracts that ranged in duration from 9 months to 4 years and 9 months. The options also offered price tags between \$64 per ton of trash disposed by the town at WNA to \$73 per ton.

According to Onusseit, each option provided an improvement for Wilmington for its life after NESWC. He recommended that Wilmington negotiate for the third WNA option, which would last 4 years and 9 months and would cost the town \$73 per ton of trash it disposes. Such a dollar figure constitutes quite a drop from the \$145 per ton of trash that Wilmington now pays WNA.

"That's a significant savings," Onusseit told selectmen.

Onusseit stated that most NESWC communities are also gravitating towards the third option that has been offered by WNA. Each NESWC community has to weigh WNA's options and provide them with a decision by June 30.

The NESWC Board recently hired the engineering firm of Camp, Dresser & McKee

(CDM) to conduct a cost review and an analysis of the WNA options. The firm reviewed the trash disposal costs of more than 30 other communities that do not belong to NESWC and determined that WNA's proposed expenses per tonnage were indeed lower than 28 of those towns that had been reviewed.

"This is a pretty good, market-based offer," Onusseit assured the selectmen.

On June 4, the town counsels of the NESWC communities met and discussed the proposed contract. Wilmington Town Counsel Michael Newhouse and Onusseit attended the meeting, at which it was determined that the contract was acceptable.

"It was a consensus at this meeting that this was a good contract from a legal perspective," Onusseit said.

The selectmen agreed with Onusseit that the proposal for a new contract was a strong one. As a result, Town Manager Cairra will work with WNA to enter it.

"We've been looking a long time to get away from NESWC," Selectman Robert Palmer said. "This is a good contract."

Bishop Lennon visits renovated church

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church made it clear that it was time to bring the place of worship a little bit more up to speed.

"The two main things that really made us think about a renovation were the air conditioning and an elevator, to make the church handicap-accessible," says Carol.

The heavenly sum of cash that was raised for the renovations came straight from the pockets of parishioners. According to Carol, most of the new items in the church, such as the aforementioned piano and an organ, were donated or were bought with money that had been offered as a gift.

At the end of the Mass on Father's Day, Reverend Horrigan thanked Architectural Design Concepts, Inc. and O'Connor Constructors, the two companies who were responsible for the complete transformation for St. Dorothy's Church.

For Bishop Lennon, the donations of time and money resulted in more than better surroundings and a cooler church for parishioners in the summer-time.

"Renovating this beautiful church is a testimony to your conviction that God matters in your life," Bishop Lennon told the parishioners.

Selectmen reject petition for Newhouse

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the petition. "We are here tonight on behalf of over 1,775 of these people."

Ward also cited support for Newhouse from every one of the various department heads in Wilmington, as well as a number of the elected and appointed town officials. Ward conceded that the petition contained no legal bearing or weight, but she considered it a "heartfelt request to you, our elected representatives to act on our will based on trust alone."

Chairman McCoy applauded Fiore's and Ward's efforts in obtaining such a large number of signatures.

"If this was a popularity contest, Mike Newhouse would win overwhelmingly, but this is not a popularity contest," McCoy told the petitioners. "Being a resident of this town for 44 years and a public servant for 17 years, I think I have my thumb on the pulse of this community as well."

McCoy mentioned that residents have called him about rumors of a recall of certain selectmen if the board were not to bow to the wishes of the petitioners. He wondered out loud whether the signatures would be so plentiful if the petitioners' apparent recourse was shared with them.

Fiore, who stated that the petition was his idea, denied any such plan for a recall, regardless of the board's vote.

"I have no intention of doing a recall," Fiore stated. "Anyone who told you I said it is a liar."

Ward, a former town clerk, concurred that a recall was the last thing she would like to see

the town go through.

Selectman Suzanne Sullivan, who was a local activist prior to her election to the board this spring, knows a thing or two about petitions. It was the two library-themed petitions that she authored that led to the special town meeting that was held last August.

"I'm kind of a little jealous, because (I've been involved with) some petition drives and we've never gotten that many signatures," Sullivan told Fiore and Ward.

Sullivan cited two residents who called her after they had signed Fiore's petition. She stated that she was able to articulate her position to such a point that the signers began to question whether their signatures should have been put on the petition.

Sullivan noted that the process to appoint a Town Counsel was flawed in the beginning. She stated that the board will need to address and, possibly, correct, that process.

"The public is looking at this as a personal and political vendetta, and I can assure you that, for me, that's not what it is at all," Sullivan stated.

Several residents questioned whether Sullivan and Selectman Frank West, who were both elected to the board for the first time in April, had enough time to truly evaluate Newhouse's job performance.

"If you want to know if Selectman Sullivan and I had the opportunity to give Mr. Newhouse a thorough evaluation, I guess the same comment could be, did each signature (on the petition) give (Newhouse) an evaluation?" West asked.

West mentioned that a lot of research had gone into his decision for new counsel. Specifically, he noted that he had contacted several town officials and attorneys in other communities.

"I have done my homework," West said. "I am going to be ready to take a vote when it comes time."

Selectman Robert Palmer had supported Newhouse throughout the process and originally made the motion to reappoint him last month. His motion was never seconded at that May meeting, and the search for a new Town Counsel was initiated.

"I think tonight the Board of Selectmen would do themselves proud if they look at that petition of 1,775 signatures, look at the Town Counsel, and at least give him one more year and evaluate him during the year," Palmer said. "I believe that would be a step forward for this town."

Former selectman Robert Cain, who attended the meeting, accused the board of never providing the public with their specific reasons for dismissing

Newhouse. Resident Clare Brady rose and accused McCoy of skirting that very question when she asked him during a previous meeting.

"I gave a statement, and if you can't understand that and comprehend that, I don't know what else you want me to tell you," McCoy told her.

McCoy said that specific reasons for the dismissal have been stated more than once, and that residents need only pick up a newspaper to learn about them.

Resident Joan Searfoss commended West for being the only selectman to respond to a letter she had written to the editor of this newspaper. She had done some homework of her own.

"The response I got from the Municipal Bond Counsel was that best thing a town can do if they have a firm within their town is to hire that firm," Searfoss stated.

Assistant Town Manager Jeffrey Hull asked the board what type of plan was in place for the transition of the case load to a new town counsel, should the board choose not to go with Newhouse. McCoy dismissed Hull as arrogant and told him that new counsel would work hand in hand with the old counsel.

Sullivan also castigated Hull.

"Sometimes I have a difficult time, you know, when you come in and you stand there and you speak to the Board in the manner that you speak to the Board, because you don't live in Wilmington," Sullivan told Hull. "But sometimes when you speak to me, I almost feel like it is almost, like, in a reprimanding manner or in a manner, I'm serious, it's almost being, you're critical."

Sullivan stated that there had been several instances in the past in which she questioned Newhouse's legal interpretations.

Resident Lynn Broderick asked Sullivan if she had a degree in law, and if so, where did she obtain her degree and in what year was she admitted to the Bar.

"I can answer most assuredly that I do not have a law degree, and that's one of the reasons why I'd really like to have counsel that I can depend on," Sullivan replied.

"Just because you don't agree with (counsel's) opinion does not necessarily mean that they're not correct, and that their work is not in accordance with the law," Broderick stated.

"It's not necessarily the opinion, it's the interpretation of the law," Sullivan protested.

Broderick found it difficult to differentiate between an opinion and an interpretation.

Raymond Forest, the Chairman of the Housing Partnership, argued that Sullivan might find instances in

which she disagreed with Counsel, no matter who was chosen for the position. Forest recalled Sullivan's previous admission that the process to appoint a town counsel has been flawed.

"If you are riding a bike and you get a flat tire, you don't keep riding it. You get off the bike and fix it," Forest stated.

McCoy recognized Deputy Police Chief Robert Spencer, who suggested postponing the vote until the board was able to speak with the people who work with Town Counsel on a daily basis. McCoy answered that the Town Charter gives the Board of Selectmen the authority to make the decision.

Resident Karl Sagal, who is a member of the Board of Appeals, offered support for the selectmen.

"I would like to show support for the people that we elected," Sagal offered. "I am tired of hearing people bash the Board of Selectmen."

Sagal referred to the Board of Selectmen as a group of four, apparently discounting the voice of Palmer, who had been in support of Newhouse.

Selectman Raymond Lepore stated that he had received phone calls from residents who wanted to start a petition against the reappointment of Newhouse. Lepore advised them not to engage in such a venture.

"I have to have integrity in myself, and that is how I am going to vote tonight," Lepore stated. "We are committed to the people."

Once the debate ran its course, the board took its vote for Town Counsel. In a break from the usual procedure, McCoy gave each selectman an opportunity to state the firm that was his or her first choice. McCoy stated that he would repeatedly follow such a procedure until one of the nine firms that had applied for the position had acquired a majority of nods.

Palmer argued that, under McCoy's chosen method, Town Counsel could be appointed before his voice was even heard. (Palmer was to be the fourth selectman to state his choice.) The majority of the board agreed with McCoy, though, so the voting, started with Lepore, who cast a vote for Deutsche, Williams, etc. Sullivan also voted for Deutsche, Williams. McCoy was next and voted for Kopelman and Paige.

McCoy's vote kept the topic alive, and Palmer voted for Newhouse. West closed the show with a vote for Deutsche, Williams.

"Wilmington's Town Counsel is now Deutsche, Williams, Brooks, DeRensis & Holland, PC.," McCoy stated.

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Ed Harrison named to the post this past week

Familiar face will take over Athletic Department

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

Almost ten years to the exact day that Ed Harrison pulled his application as head football coach at Wilmington High School, the 52-year-old lifelong resident of the town was named the new athletic director this past week.

Harrison will officially take the position on January 2, 2004 when Jim Gillis officially retires after his 25-year tenure. Harrison was recommended for the position by both Gillis to WHS Principal Eddie Woods, who agreed and then Harrison was finally appointed by Superintendent of Schools Dr. Geraldine O'Donnell.

Gillis has been the athletic director from 1978 to the present. He took over for Jim Martin, who held the position for six months before being forced to resign. Martin had taken over for the late Larry Cushing, who was the school's first AD serving from 1961 to 1978.

Harrison's position will be a part-time school teacher, where he'll teach three physical education classes, and then take on a part-time athletic director's position. But he said that no matter what the position is called for, he's going to be front and center taking his new job on with full authority.

"I'm going to be around all of the time," he said.

Harrison has lived in Wilmington his entire life and graduated from WHS in 1969 where he played both football and baseball. He then went on to UMass-Amherst graduating in 1973 with a degree in health/physical education and biology. He got married during the summer of 1974 and has four children, three of whom (Kristin, Jacqueline and Mike) graduated from WHS (Eddie Jr., graduated from Shawsheen Tech several years ago).

The fall of 1974, Harrison joined the Wildcat football staff as an assistant coach under Fred Bellissimo. In 1978, he remained an assistant coach when John Ritchie was appointed to take over for Bellissimo, before taking over in 1982 when Ritchie was ill and that team finished 7-3.

The following year, 1983, Harrison officially was named the head coach and had the job for ten years (including 1982) compiling a 38-77-4 record during his days in the Merrimack Valley Conference. He had several successful seasons at the helm including the 1982 season, as well as the '83, '84 and '89 teams which all finished with five win seasons in the very tough MVC conference.

The 1989 team was probably Harrison's best coaching season when 17 dressed players finished 5-5 with several outstanding victories, including one in the final seconds over Lowell. Harrison was named the Lowell Sun Coach of the Year that season, and then represented the MVC as the head football coach at the annual Shiner's Football Classic.

In 1992, the football team started off strong with two wins and scoring a combined 80 points, but then finished 3-7 when news of the team's hazing incident which occurred in pre-season camp went to full fruition becoming a major distraction for Harrison, his family, his assistant coaches, his

players and the entire community. On June 11, 1993, he pulled his application from the coach's position because of the political battles due to the hazing incident which became very much overblown over a course of a year.

Harrison has been a physical education teacher at WHS for almost 30 years - except a few years which he lost the job due to budget cuts. Besides his years teaching and his 20 years with the football program, Harrison also was the head softball coach in 1980 and 1981 compiling a record of 17-15. He also served as freshmen baseball coach for 11 years and JV coach for one season.

The new athletic director was asked what he brings to the position.

"I bring someone that has the right attitude," he said. "Someone who is personable without an ego. I get along with everyone and I feel as though living here in the town all of my life that knowing a lot of people will help me. I think I have a great reprieve with a lot of people."

Harrison will be in charge of maintaining the athletic department running a budget of \$260,000 as well as hiring and firing coaches, funding the entire budget, scheduling, and looking over 21 sports, including eleven male teams and ten female teams. Several parts of Gillis' job will be spread out to other people such as the town's entire school busing and transportation, being in charge of facilities, and being the head consultant of the physical education department at the high school.

Also, Gillis' six-year secretary Susan Hardimon has been moved to another department to help out on the town's busing transportation, and Harrison said the town will begin interviews for a part-time secretary to help him out.

The new athletic director said he's not going to be afraid of seeking help from others.

"I'm starting in August and I don't take over until January second," he said. "It's going to be a learning experience. The teams, the coaches and that stuff I know all about, but some of the other stuff I don't know about and I'm going to be lucky to have that time with Jimmy to learn. I won't be afraid to ask for help at all."

Harrison said besides seeking some right hand people to give him assistance, he has plenty of his own ideas.

"One of my ideas is to get as many teachers involved as possible," he said. "Whether it's being a ticket taker, or whatever the job is, I think kids love to see their teachers at sporting events and just around. I also would like to get as many people who used to be involved as players or coaches or what have you, come back and help out in any way. I think if a program is run right, they'll feel good about coming back."

"In the Cape Ann League and Northeast Conference, we're, I believe, the only team that does not acquire a user's fee. I think we're lucky to be here under [Town Manager] Mike Cairra, because this town is in a lot better shape than other towns. We plan on keeping it that way [without a user's fee]."

"In the beginning I want to make sure I make the right

decisions and I won't be afraid to ask for help and ask other people for ideas. Because the decisions I'll be making are for the school and the kids, I want to make sure I make them right."

Wilmington High Principal Eddie Woods said he knows that he made the right decision in bringing Harrison to the AD position.

"I think at this point in time we need some continuity and a change in a different direction and Ed brings that and I know he can do it," said Woods. "He has seen some things and his experience will lead him in the right direction. Someone from the outside wouldn't be able to come into this job because he or she wouldn't know what's going on. He does know what's going on and he'll be on the ground and running before no time."

"He takes over a program where he knows all about the players and the coaches. He doesn't have to go through that learning curve - he knows exactly what he needs to do."

"I think it's good for Wilmington to bring in a guy like Eddie, who has lived here, who knows a lot of people and who'll draw upon his contacts to help him out."

Gillis has been a strong supporter for Harrison since arriving on the coaching scene in 1974 including having him as one of his assistant baseball coaches when Gillis was the varsity head coach in the late 1970s.

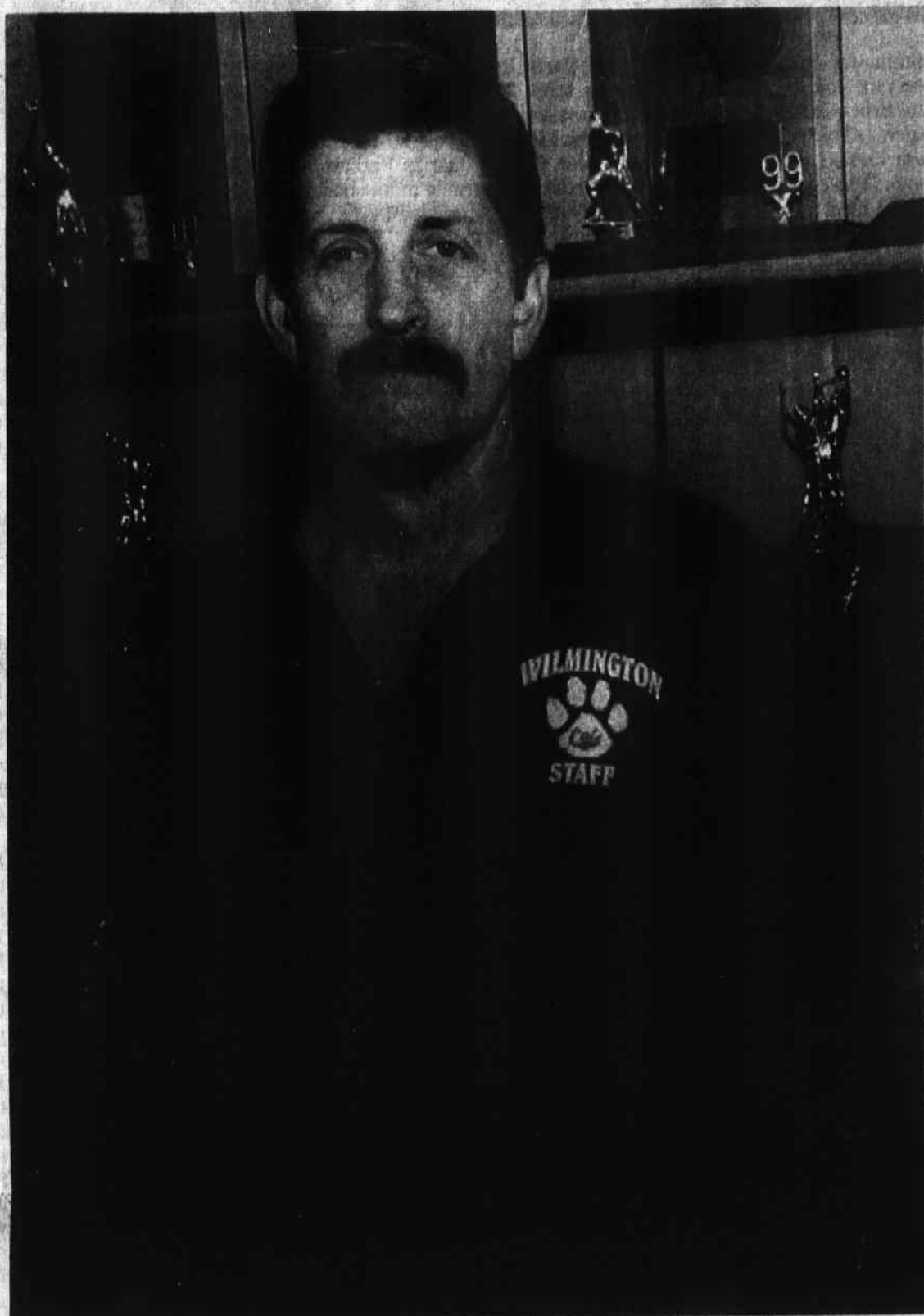
After all of the political saga went on through the town from September 1992 to June of 1993 with the hazing incident, Gillis was the first person to support Harrison, who was used as a scapegoat from certain school committee members who tried using the hazing incident as a chance to get rid of Gillis and former Superintendent of Schools, William Fay.

The hazing incident finally became a make or break point for Harrison back in 1993 when he was appointed the JV baseball coach by Gillis two weeks into the season when no one else applied for the job. Gillis was later told to "rethink" the appointment by the school committee, and two weeks after the season ended, Harrison still had not been paid for his duties.

Each coach back in 1993 was forced to reapply for their coach's position after every season, with the final decision coming from O'Donnell, who took over for Fay. When Harrison pulled his application, Gillis was extremely disappointed saying, "I would have recommended him for the [varsity football] position. He has been an asset to the program. He has helped a lot of kids in this program and Eddie Harrison is not a quitter."

Now ten years later, Gillis stands by those same words, and his recommendation of having Harrison take over for himself.

"I'm excited for Eddie," said Gillis. "I think he's the logical choice. He knows the system, he knows the kids, he knows the coaches and he knows a lot of the coaches in the league. I'll help him in any way I can and just fill in the blanks if he has any. He is more than qualified for the job. He has cared for these kids and the program, and I think he'll do a terrific



Ed Harrison will become just the fourth athletic director in Wilmington High history when it takes over for Jim Gillis beginning January 2, 2004.
(photo by Maureen Lamoureux).

job. "Not only does Ed know the system, but he knows the community very well and his resources will help him and the program. I look at him as someone who'll be out in the community which will only help the program. He knows everyone from the ladies in the cafeteria, to the custodians and that's very important. He definitely has the support of the coaches here."

Gillis said that he thought it would be best that his job be broken up, therefore the new AD who has 60 percent of his job as a teacher, wouldn't have to deal with side projects besides the athletic program such as busing and facilities.

"[I think just dealing with the athletics] absolutely will help [his transition]," said Gillis. "That way he can devote more time into athletics which is very detailed. I think the town is very lucky to have a guy like Ed. I think he's going to be here for a long time and will do a terrific job."

Part of the details for Harrison will be adding and perhaps subtracting coaches. In the mid 90s when the athletic department was forced to ask for user's fees by its student-athletes and each coach was asked to reapply for his/her position each year, several of the longtime coaches to take the same positions with different schools including Frank Kelly, Jan Cassidy Wood, Sue Rowe and Bill Cullen. In 1995,

former football coach Gerry Sullivan was asked to reapply for his position, and he didn't get the job as it went to current football coach Bob Almeida.

During the last ten years or so, Gillis hired a handful of outstanding coaches, including Almeida, Steve Scanlon, Mike Pimental, Paul Lyman, Mark Staffier, Jim McCune and Al Duffett to name a few.

Harrison said that each of the 16 coaches on board now will have a clean slate.

"We'll have meetings and we'll have ideas exchanged," said Harrison. "I'm a big believer in sportsmanship. I believe you have treat kids fairly. I'll be going out there watching practices and games and as I just want the kids to learn and have a good time from the freshmen to the JV to the varsity level."

"All of the kids will be representing this town and as you go up the ladder you realize everything in life is to play to win but not win at all cost. We all have our competitive edges. With the coaches, I just feel they have to be upfront with their kids from the start of the season until the end with every single player."

Harrison said eventually after he gets his feet wet with the new position, he'd like to take a serious look at the facilities the town has for its sports teams, such as the land behind the football stadium. Also to be looked into will be perhaps a better weight room, a new track and several of the other

athletic fields which could use an upgrade.

"I like the facilities here but there's a lot I don't know about," he said. "We'll look to see what can be done, but to do things like that here is very difficult."

Since Wilmington left the Merrimack Valley Conference in June of 1995, its done very well as a member of the Cape Ann League. However, since then, Wilmington has dropped its gymnastics program, added a girls' ice hockey program while, the volleyball and boys' ice hockey programs have left the CAL to join along with other leagues. There has been a lot of talk over the last year or so of the possibility of leagues realigning in football - among other sports - and Harrison said he'll cross that bridge when it comes.

"We're in the Cape Ann League but I'd like to see some other leagues come together," he said. "It'd be nice to come together with a schedule that has more of the same size schools together and one that's better with traveling. But there's been talk of that for a long time and we'll just have to wait to see how everyone feels on it because some leagues are against change."

Until that happens, the Wilmington Athletic Department will have a change of its own.

Second annual Cushing Bocce tourney, June 26th

The second annual Cushing Family Bocce Tournament to benefit the Larry Cushing, Sr. Athletic Scholarship Fund will be held on June 26th at 10:00 am at Jack Cushing's home at 70 Middlesex Avenue in Wilmington.

The teams will be mixed of

females and males to a minimum of two people and the maximum of four people per team. The eligibility is open but players can only compete with one team during the tournament.

The games are 15 points, and single elimination. The cost per

team is \$50.00 with proceeds going to the scholarship fund (checks can be made out to Wilmington Rotary/Cushing Scholarship).

Prizes will be awarded, and refreshments will be served with hot dogs, hamburgers, popcorn and cold drinks

(BYOB). Contact any Cushing Family Member for details, and registrations are due, Thursday, June 26th. Pairings will be drawn on June 26th - selective pairings for first round only with first game beginning at 11:00 am.

**Sports Editor's
Editorial on
Harrison hiring
see inside for story**



Wilmington natives were playing for North Reading's Lacrosse U12 and U10 teams this spring. Everyone enjoyed playing a great new sport. The U12 team extends its sincere thanks to coaches Paul Bruce and Paul Collins. Great efforts from all players and coaches involved. Standing l-r: Caleb Rogers, Alex Williams, Brian Coutu, Paul Bruce, Anthony Bruce, Connor O'Riordan and Zachary Rosa. Seated, l-r: James Marra, Brendan Collins, Charles Barbaro, Ryan Hunt. Missing from the photo: Peter Cushing. Those of you interested in learning more about lacrosse (LAX) should contact the Wilmington Recreation Office 978-658-4270 for details on the Skyhawks Sports Program, July 28-August 1 for ages eight through 14.

Sports Editor's Editorial

Town throws a touchdown with Harrison hiring

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

There were certainly a handful of strong candidates who could have taken over for Wilmington High Athletic Director Jim Gillis and probably the best candidate of all was chosen. Ed Harrison will be taken over for Gillis beginning on January 2, 2004 and to make reference to the former football coach, the town of Wilmington threw a game winning touchdown with this selection.

Harrison will be in the middle of many changes throughout the town. A new Superintendent of Schools has been named, a new Principal at the High School will be named next year when Eddie Woods steps down, while a handful of new teachers will be added to the high school beginning this fall as a handful of veteran teachers retired this month. So where does Harrison fit in? Very nicely.

Harrison has been affiliated with Wilmington High School between being a student, a teacher, a coach and now an athletic director through five decades. He played football and basketball, coached the same two teams along with softball, has been a physical education teacher and now will continue that job and take on the athletic director's position this fall when he works with Gillis over his last few months at the helm.

There have only been two athletic directors in the history of the school who have combined to head man the position since 1951. Harrison obviously becomes the third AD and he follows Larry Cushing and Gillis. There aren't too many people around who bring as many assets to the table as Harrison does. He's a true gentleman, he's hard working, he's fair, he has great passion and integrity for Wilmington High School, its kids, its coaches and its sports. He's a terrific father, was known as a good coach and certainly has high hopes of things he wants to accomplish as athletic director.

Harrison takes over for Gillis at a good time. It's been eight years since the athletic program left the Merrimack Valley Conference for the Cape Ann

League and the jury has been decided that the move was relatively good, except for the traveling and facing some of the weak sisters in the league.

He also takes over at a time when for the most part, money and the budget are in a good stance. Wilmington doesn't require a user's fee, and although a handful of money goes into fundraising every year, the \$260,000 budget for the 21 teams seems to be in decent shape.

Harrison doesn't have much clean up work to do, but certainly will have his hands full. Within the budget he's going to have to find room for the girls' varsity hockey team to be elevated to varsity, to which the coaches get paid and the team gets valuable ice time. It's been obvious that the three year program has been a success and all of the hard work that Gillis put in to get the program off its feet has been nothing short of a game winning goal.

Harrison will also have the task of making sure the high school's track gets repaved and redone since Cape Ann League teams refuse to come to Wilmington for a meet because the track is in such poor condition.

In addition, he's going to have to do plenty of homework into grading each and every coach he has and decide whether or not he or she is right for the program. Harrison inherits a handful of extremely good coaches Gillis has brought in, while there are several others who haven't done the job that's expected and if Harrison plans on doing the job correctly, he's going to have to find out quickly which ones deserve to continue to get a paycheck and which ones deserve the pink slip.

On top of that, Harrison is going to have to find out in the next two or three years just where Wilmington belongs. There's been plenty of talk that the entire state is going to realign its football leagues. There's been plenty of talk over the years that the Cape Ann League wants to split up its football league to two leagues, while some teams leave the conference, while other towns such as Winthrop and Marblehead are almost beg-

ging to be added to the CAL. Just this past month, the Cape Ann League and Northeast Conference decided to join at the hip in boys' ice hockey so the weaker sisters of each league can actually win a game, as opposed to lose 10-0 every game out.

Harrison will be plenty busy over the first few months of taking over but he's surrounded by some very good people who will help him out. He has a share of veteran coaches such as Steve Scanlon, Jim McCune, Sue Hendee, Al Fessenden, Mike Pimental and Bob Almeida who should make his transition easier. Harrison also knows Tewksbury athletic director Bob Aylward extremely well and having his expertise will also be a huge plus.

There's no question that Harrison will be a major success here as the new athletic director. His hard work will be so obvious over the first year that it won't be too much longer before the school committee hands him the full-time position.

For me, I only hope Harrison does a few things. First, obviously do the job of an athletic director in terms of running the entire program as best as he can. Secondly, figure out if the Cape Ann League or another combination is the best suit for the entire sports programs.

Third, get every sports team to have non-league games with Tewksbury. Make sure the softball teams play again, make sure the volleyball and field hockey teams play one another, and not just football, baseball and basketball. Since Wilmington has switched to the Cape Ann League, they have formed rivalries but nothing like the passionate one they still hold with neighboring Tewksbury.

Lastly, my last wish for Ed Harrison is to be available and accountable.

And knowing him for as long as I have, and knowing that he did all of that during the terrible way the hazing incident was handled ten years ago, being available and accountable doesn't even have to be a wish. It's what he's all about.

Brian and Kevin participate in local tournaments

Velardo brothers make par

By MATT KALMAN
Sports Correspondent

Just four slots for July's U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship event in New Jersey will be up for grabs at this Thursday's Sectional Qualifying and a Wilmington resident will be among those in the running.

Wilmington High graduate and Babson College junior-to-be Brian Velardo shot an 80 last Thursday at Atkinson Country Club in Atkinson, N.H. to advance to the Sectional Qualifying for the second straight year.

Brian, who will be on the links at Dennis Pines Golf Course in South Dennis shooting for a berth in the national tournament, wasn't the only Velardo making a name for himself with his clubs over the passed week. Kevin Velardo, who will be a junior at Wilmington High next fall, shot a 77 and came four strokes short at the New England Interscholastic Boys Individual Golf Championships on Monday.

For the 19-year-old Brian, Atkinson proved a challenge. And he wasn't alone as the high scores proved - Eric Emeneau of Saugus was the medalist with a 74.

"Overall it was a difficult course," said Brian. "It's narrow and there are a lot of water hazards and stuff like that."

On Tuesday, Brian played a practice round at Dennis Pines in preparation for Thursday's event.

"It's a pretty fair course. It's pretty long, 7,000 yards," said Brian. "It's a little longer than most courses I play. The greens were a little slow and it's a course where if you hit the ball

well, you're going to score well. If you're not hitting it well, you can get into trouble."

"It's definitely a driver's golf course. You've got to drive the ball well and I did (Tuesday). Getting off the tee there is huge. I've been hitting my driver well, but I can't make a lot of mistakes."

Brian's sophomore year went well individually at Babson, as his scores improved. However, the Beavers didn't duplicate their performance from Brian's freshman season when they qualified for the NCAA Division III national meet and he finished in 76th place.

"I've definitely improved a lot since my high school days," said Brian. "It's kind of weird knowing that I'm starting to level off. Last year, I improved a lot. This summer though I don't see a lot of improvement over last summer. If I really want to compete at a high level, I have to take more lessons and practice my game more."

"The way I'm playing now will probably be how I play the rest of my life. I'll have a low handicap and play some amateur tournaments."

On Monday, June 9, Brian attempted to qualify for the Massachusetts Amateur, but he shot a 77 at Nashawtuc Country Club in Concord and missed the qualifying by one stroke. In addition to his attempt at qualifying for the U.S. Amateur Public Links Championship, Brian will also try to make the Mass. Public Links at qualifying in late July, the U.S. Amateur and play in some Pro-Am tournaments and the club championship at his home course, the Country Club of Billerica.

Kevin qualified for the New England Individual Championship by virtue of his second-place finish at the state meet last fall and he was one of four representatives from Massachusetts. The Bretwood Golf Course in Keene, N.H., proved to be a breeding ground for low scores.

"I'd say I was pretty satisfied with how I did," said Kevin. "Off the tee I wasn't too good and on the greens I was top great, but in between I was pretty good. I haven't been playing that much because I had baseball all spring."

"It was a real easy course. Since there's been so much rain, there were soft conditions and there were a lot of low scores. It was pretty easy. Most of the holes fit my shot shape and the greens weren't too fast so it was an advantage for everybody."

The 16-year-old Kevin is heading into a busy summer in which he'll balance two baseball games a week for Wilmington's American Legion team with his participation in the U.S. Junior Amateur at Halifax, two U.S. Challenge Cup tournaments and the Mass. Junior Amateur Tournament.

All the while, he'll try to improve his game so that he can play even better when he's back on the links representing the Wildcats in the fall.

"My short game's there. I'm sure that'll be fine," said Kevin. "But I pretty much have a natural fade and I'm trying to get a draw going off the tee so I can get a little more distance. One of my problems off the tee is I have a natural fade."

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Iaquinto chooses her softball path

By JAMIE POTE
Sports Editor

Choosing a college can be one of the most difficult decisions anyone can make. For Wilmington native Jannelle Iaquinto, it seems as if Siena University of New York chose her, which makes her life all that much easier.

Iaquinto recently received an athletic scholarship to continue her softball playing days at Siena. The Arlington Catholic High graduate had been recruited by a handful of other colleges, from Division 1 to Division 3, but chose Siena for many reasons.

"I went on my recruiting trip and I was very sick with mono when I went to Siena but when I got there I had the time of my life," she said. "The girls on the team are awesome. I went to four practices and I wanted to see if I could be a part of it and I wasn't intimidated. I couldn't believe how structured the practices were. I just can't wait to get there and see if I can do it."

Over the past few years, Iaquinto has improved leaps and bounds on the pitcher's mound. She began seriously pitching her sophomore year, and last year as a junior she was both a Boston Herald and Boston Globe All-Scholastic. She tossed two no-hitters that season, posted 8 shutouts and had an ERA of 0.80, taking her team to the Division 2 North sectional semi-finals losing to Central Catholic.

This season didn't go as well for the team which ended the season at 7-9 missing out on the state tournament by one victory. Iaquinto still posted very good numbers, which included breaking the school's all-time strikeout record towards the end of the season and leaving the school with 642 strikeouts, after surpassing Andrea Messina's mark of 629.

Now she's going to take her right arm, her right handed bat to a Division 1 program.

"There's just so much to do there," she said. "The campus is quiet and the coach [Patti Brun] is awesome. She is very personable, she's very enthusiastic and I've never seen a coach as dedicated to her program as she is. I think the transition is going to be easier because of the 18 girls on the team."

"The coach had come down to watch me pitch and she told me that I was throwing well and she liked what she saw, but the big thing for her would be how I got along with the team. Team chemistry is huge with her. I went for my visit and I loved the girls and they loved me so that was the biggest concern."

Iaquinto said she had many concerns going through the whole process. She thought about attending a Division 3 school and perhaps playing both volleyball and softball. Iaquinto was AC's big outside

hitter for the volleyball team which lost in the sectional final to no other than Central Catholic.

"[I was being recruited for softball by] Merrimack, St. Anselm's, Endicott, Quinnipiac and Fairfield," she said. "It came down to Endicott and Siena. I liked Quinnipiac but I knew I wouldn't play that much. Then I thought about going to Endicott so I could play both sports, but I had a few injuries so I figured it would be best to play the one sport."

"The hardest thing is giving up volleyball, but I just fell in love with Siena and everything about the school, the coach and the players."

Brun said on the team's website that adding a pitcher like Iaquinto will only make her program better.

"Jannelle is a strong pitcher with a tough mind set that should help her step in and contribute immediately in the circle," said Brun. "We also count on her powerful bat to add some much needed pop in the middle of our line-up."

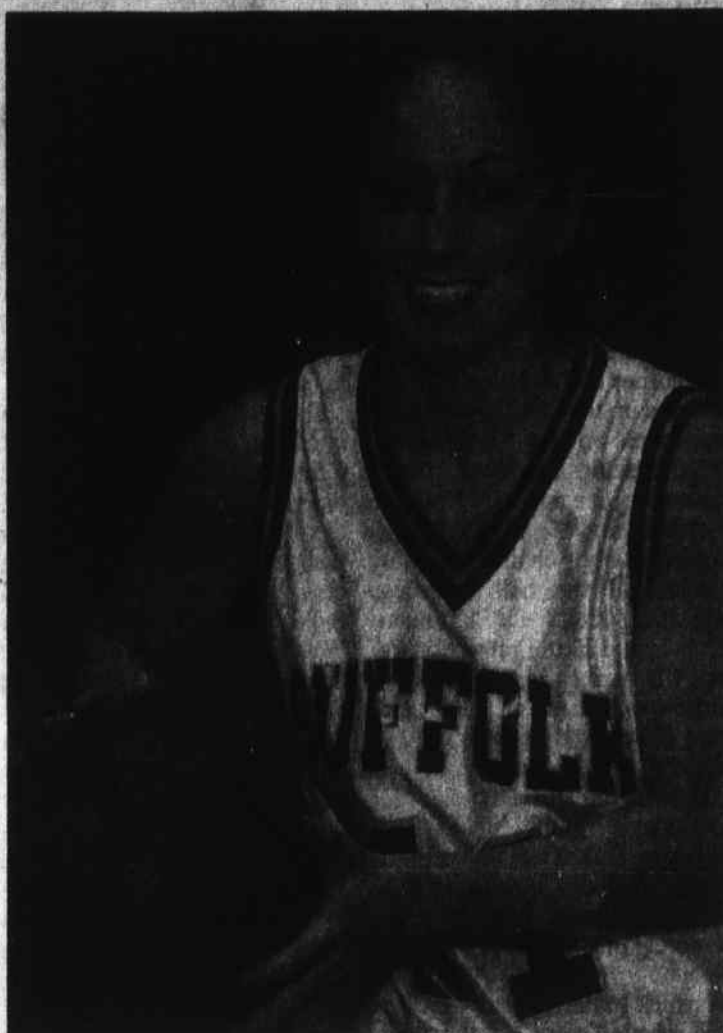
Iaquinto is among five new additions to the team for next season, joining neighboring Kelly Boyle, of Tewksbury, the two-time Merrimack Valley Conference MVP, and also a All-Scholastic by both Boston papers. Boyle signed her letter of intent on the first week of eligibility back in December, and just recently Iaquinto along with Jennifer Griner of Nisayuna, New York, and Megan Woltz and Jennifer Barth, two transfers from Riverside Community College in California, joined the ranks as well.

Siena finished this past season with a 14-23 season and becoming the first team in program history to qualify for the MAAC tournament which the team lost to St. Peter College (24-15), 4-1, in 13 innings. The Siena Saints are extremely young losing just one senior off this year's team while 15 of its 20 players were freshmen and sophomores this season.

Iaquinto joins a staff of three pitchers who all tossed a good amount of innings this season. Tara Campbell of Spring Valley, California, was 7-9 in 122 innings, while, Tisha Salamino of Las Vegas, Nevada was 2-10 in 76 innings. Adrian St. Cin, who will see more time at first base, was 5-4 in 54 innings.

"I think the first couple of months will be tough for me," she said. "Coach [Brun] said she expects me to play this season and I expect to play. I just can't wait to get started. I'm not worried about being away from home, but I think once I get acclimated and get with the softball team then I'll figure out my major and everything will work out."

Just like it has up to this point for Jannelle Iaquinto.



Lisa Antonangeli, a graduate of Wilmington High School and daughter of Ronald and Judith Antonangeli, was a member of the Suffolk University Women's Basketball team this past winter. She played guard and was a freshman member of the team.

Top 96 showcase, August 8-9

Players can apply throughout June to appear in the 10th annual TOP 96 Invitational Baseball Showcase set for August 8 and 9 at Alumni Field in Lowell. Players can be nominated by their coaches or they can apply themselves at www.top96.com.

The showcase highlights high school players who will graduate in 2004 and 2005. It offers a chance for players to be seen and evaluated by college and pro scouts from around the country.

The event is hosted by Lightning Baseball of New England, one of the most successful AAU baseball organizations in the region. It was

founded by two fathers who wanted a better opportunity for high school players to be seen by colleges. These two founders are still active in the showcase.

The TOP 96 showcase is entirely non-profit. Players pay minimal expenses. Coaches and scouts are invited free and get a free profile book with extensive bios and stats. Players are selected from hundreds of nominations each year. The selection committee invites players from the nomination list based on ability.

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Wilmington resident Jannelle Iaquinto will be off to Siena University in New York on a softball scholarship. She graduated from Arlington Catholic this month. (courtesy photo)

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Girls Under 12B soccer team keeps undefeated season going

The Wilmington GU12 B soccer team's undefeated season qualified them for Commissioner's Cup play. The Wildcats had the #1 defense in the division, giving up only two goals all season.

Wilmington 2, Stoneham 2

In the opening game, early Saturday morning, Wilmington (4-0-4) met Stoneham (6-0-2) in a battle of undefeated teams. Stoneham took 1st place in Division 2A during the season and in the only previous meeting between the two teams, the result was a 1-1 tie.

The Wildcats got on the board early when one of several beautiful cross passes in this game by Julie Gorman connected with Adrienne Heenan in front and Heenan was able to put it home. Aggressive defense by Erin Copeland, Colleen Kennedy, and Devon Murphy kept Stoneham off balance throughout the first half. Stoneham only managed one shot in the half but it was a tough rising one which keeper Stephani Warnick handled superbly.

Wilmington went up 2-0 around the fifteen minute mark when Ali Lyman's strong corner kick sailed perfectly to the front center of the net and deflected in off a Stoneham defender. The Wildcats would have loved to have ended the game right there because Stoneham came back strong in the 2nd half. The first ten minutes of the half was played in the Wilmington end as the

Stoneham forwards executed excellent passes and kept the pressure on. Shelbi Rygiel, now in net, was kept busy making save after save. At one point she beat a Stoneham player to a loose ball and cleared the zone with a powerful kick. Eventually, the Stoneham momentum paid off as they scored two goals, both from in close, to tie the game. A hard rising shot hit the corner of the cross-bar and deflected away, keeping Stoneham from taking the lead.

Wilmington picked up their play some in the later part of the 2nd half but time was not on their side and the game ended in a 2-2 tie.

Wilmington U11A 1, Wilmington U12B 0

During the Danvers Memorial Day tournament, Co-Champions Wilmington U12B came very close to playing against the Wilmington U11A squad. That meeting would have to wait until Game #2 of the Commissioner's Cup. It was friends and neighbors vs. friends and neighbors and, in one case, sister vs. sister. Ali and Jackie Lyman squared off against one another in this contest, which made it a little tough for U12's assistant coach Chris Lyman.

Brianne Mara's high shot in the first half was all U11 would need as they took this game 1-0. A combined block by Erin Copeland and Ali Lyman in the second half kept U11 from notching a second goal. U12 had their opportunities in the

2nd half but were unable to beat U11's keeper, Jackie Zaremba. Strong work along the sidelines and in the corners by Kaitlyn Foy, Julie Gorman, and Kayla Beaudin helped to create chances.

Devon Murphy displayed her defensive skill when going into the corner and working the ball out and up the sideline with two opponents on her. Keeping U11 from moving into the zone on several occasions, Colleen Kennedy and Stephani Warnick aggressively challenged for control of the ball. Strong clearing kicks by Shannon Dubois and Erin Conway broke up U11 rushes. Once again, time was just not on U12's side and U11 moved on with the 1-0 victory.

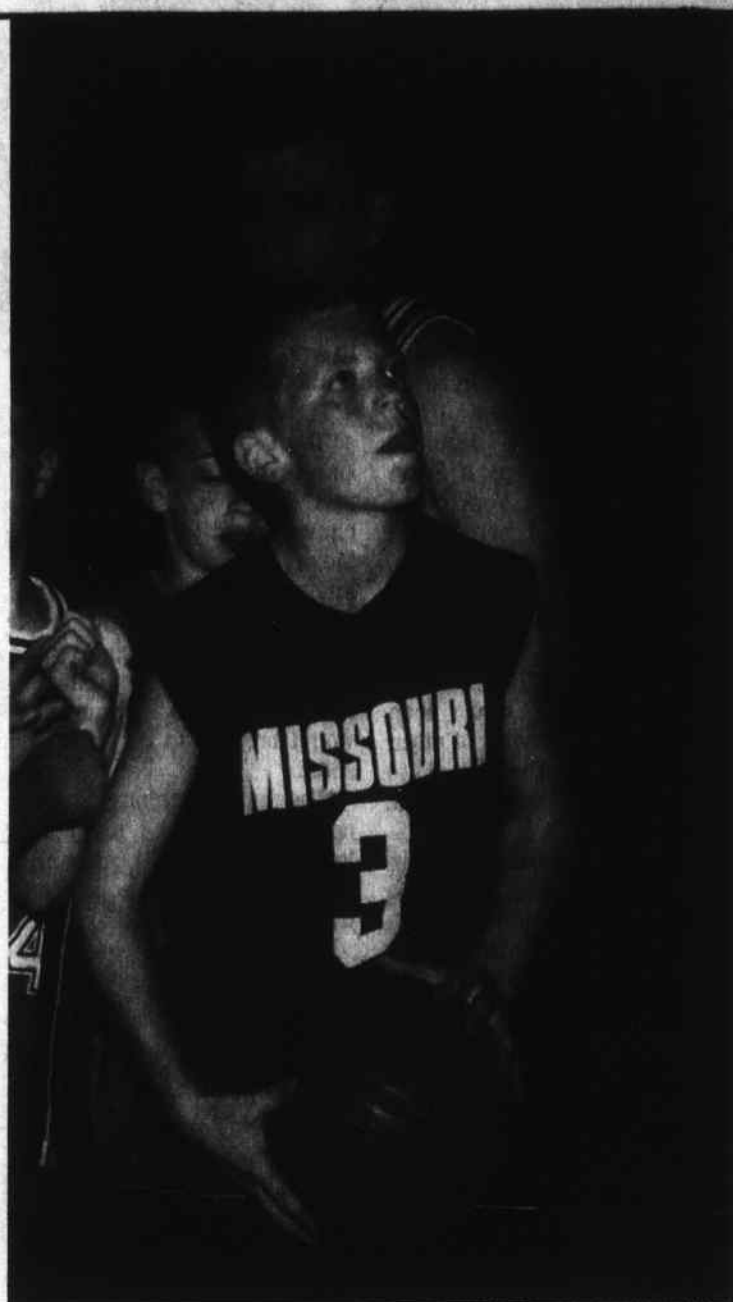
Wilmington 1, Woburn 1
Sunday's game found the Wildcats matched up with a tough Woburn team. The Tanners struck first when a shooter put a hard shot on keeper Stephani Warnick. Warnick made a great stop but the rebound came right out and bounced off the Woburn player and into the net. Other than that score, it was a fairly even contest with up and down action.

In the second half Erin Copeland kicked the ball down the sideline and into the corner where Adrienne Heenan took control. Heenan's centering pass landed left of center of the net and Julie Gorman was right there to kick it in, tying the game at 1-1. Good work in the middle of the field by Stephanie

Woods, Brittany Schuh, and Erin McMahon set up some offensive rushes. Wilmington had a beautiful chance when a great passing play by Colleen Kennedy and Ali Lyman set the ball in front of the net but Woburn jumped on the ball before the Wildcat forwards could put it in.

Ericka Beraldi returned from vacation to play in her first game and greatly helped the defense with some very strong clearing kicks. Shannon Dubois and Shelbi Rygiel were quick to the ball on defense and took the play away from Woburn on several occasions. Towards the end of the half, Woburn got three forwards rushing out and heading for a loose ball just inside the square. Keeper Erin Conway beat them to the ball with a diving block and broke them up. A Woburn forward was then able to take a high shot from the right side and it rang off the cross-bar, saving a goal.

The game ended in the 1-1 tie and the Wildcats put up 0-1-2 record in the tournament. Although it wasn't enough to capture any gold, the girls had a very enjoyable weekend. Appreciation goes to head coach Tom Warnick and assistants Chris Lyman and Scott Schuh for their time and hard work in making this yet another successful and rewarding season. Congratulations to Wilmington's U11 A team for being crowned 2003 Commissioner's Cup Champions.



During this week, the annual Wildcat youth basketball camp run by former girls' basketball coach Jim Tildsley, who just won a Division 1 state title at Andover High this past winter, was held at WHS. Above, Stephen Stewart, 12, looks up at the basket to take a shot, while below, Tildsley works with Philip Lentini (left), 9, and Stephen Petinge (right), 9, who are both second year campers, (photos by Maureen Lamoureux).

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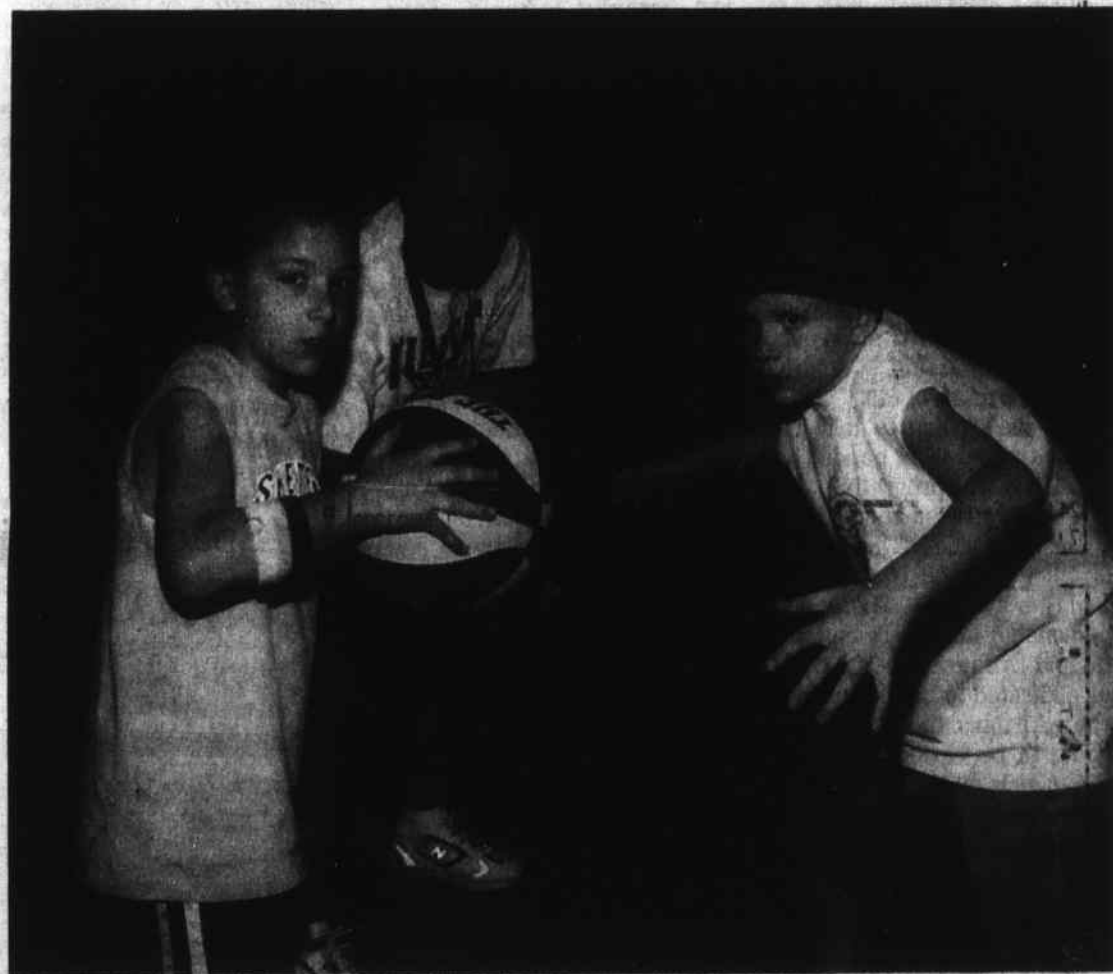
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Under 10-7 girls soccer team crowned Div. 4 champions

A very exciting weekend for the U10-7 girls started with a victory over the girls from Billerica as the Commissioners Cup began in Woburn this past weekend. A tough battle saw Mikayla Grassia score both goals in a 2-1 victory for the Wildcats during the first of four games on the way to the championship.

The second game was a contest between two Wildcat teams from Wilmington that ended in a 0-0 tie score. A goal from Laura Maggioli was disallowed at the five minute mark as the keeper from the Wilmington 8 team was able to get a hand on the ball right before Maggioli made contact. Several tough exchanges between the two Wilmington teams showed how much each team wanted the victory as the game ended in a 0-0 tie. The crowd showed great support of both teams as the girls got a standing ovation as the game came to an end.

Sunday started with a game against the girls from Stoneham. The Stoneham team was undefeated all season and the Wildcat girls were ready for a tough game. The Stoneham girls did not disappoint them. The Wildcat girls came out strong with a shot right off the kickoff that caught the

Stoneham team off guard but was just wide to the right of the net. Stoneham came back and scored at the six minute mark and the 20 minute mark of the first half as they showed why they have been tough opponents all year long.

Stoneham would strike again at the five and seven minute mark of the second half. A goal for the Wildcat girls of the foot of Mikayla Grassia at the 12 minute mark brought the team back to life. A solid effort by the Stoneham keeper held the girls to one goal and both teams headed to a final for the Division 4 championship.

The championship game promised to be a tough battle; however, the girls from Wilmington had learned their lesson in the earlier game. Lori Fletcher scored at the two minute mark for the Wildcats as they came on strong right from the kickoff. A textbook pass from Michaela D'Ambrosio sprung Ms. Fletcher in on the goal to the right side where she blasted a shot in the lower right corner of the net to put the Wildcat girls in the lead.

The Wildcat girls would hold on to this lead with repeated excellence at defense by Emily Stebbins, Jessica Griffin and

Janelle Heenan. Keepers Nicole D'Agostino and Christi Bush smothered everything the strong Stoneham team had to offer. Lori Fletcher and Hannah Kelly showed great skill in back checking the advancing Stoneham team frustrating each effort at a shot on net. Laura Maggioli, Lauren Stalker and Michaela D'Ambrosio kept the action at half field with great fore checking as Stoneham was not about to role over.

With several offensive rushes late in the second half the Wildcat girls almost added an insurance goal with shots off the post of the Stoneham net.

The Wildcat girls handed the Stoneham team their only loss and only shutout of the season to capture the Division 4 Championship displaying great character and heart that all Wilmington residents can be proud of. Great job girls and good luck next year.

Welch pitching in

Lightning baseball of New England extended its winning streak to 13 games and widened its hold to first place with a doubleheader sweep over the Worcester Heat and NE Firebirds this past weekend. Lightning Baseball improved its record to a 13-1 win in the fourth weekend of play in the AAU Mass State Pool Play Tournament.

On Saturday, Lightning won the Worcester Heat with a score of 15-5 and 11-0 and on Sunday, they beat the NE Firebirds 9-0 and 5-1.

Chris Welch of Wilmington led Lightning Baseball at the plate and on the mound. In the win over the Firebirds, he was 1-for-4, with 3 walks and scored four runs.

He also pitched four innings in the team's win over Worcester Heat. Welch gave up one run on two hits, walked one and struck out five to earn the win.

Lightning Baseball of New England is the premier AAU organization in the US. We have more top 10 finishes at the National level than all other AAU teams in New England and we are the only AAU program in the country that has qualified 13, 14, 15 year old teams for national tournaments for the last nine years.

For more information on Lightning's 13U team, please call head coach Rick Petersen at 978-470-1410 or visit our website at www.lightning13.com (<http://www.wlightning13.com>).



The Wilmington Under 10-7 girls soccer team was crowned the Division 4 champions this past week.

White Sox edge Orioles, 6-4

White Sox 6, Orioles 4

The White Sox got off to a three run lead in the first inning, and held on to squeak out a 6-4 victory over the first place Orioles. The Sox received four innings of one run, two hit relief pitching from Nick Boutoures to gain the victory.

The Sox offense came from the bats of Boutoures, Brandene Cummings, and Eric Siegel. Brian Cote made some great defensive plays at first, as did Cummings at third. Mike Murphy (two hits), Sean Callahan, and Mike DeRosa sparked the Orioles offense. Callahan and Hachey keyed the Oriole defense.

Giants 4, Mariners 1

The Giants edged the Mariners 4-1 on Saturday in a defensive struggle that also saw the hits come few and far between for both teams due to the great pitching on both sides. Mustering hits for the Mariners were Bill Hurley (double), Mike Amentola, Brian Goncalves and Tony Silva while Lucas MacNeill (double), Steven Reynolds, Frankie Cerbone, Peter Warren, Ryan McNeill, Dillon Champey, Joe Spinelli and Jesse Leverone squeezed out hits for the Giants.

Throwing smoke for the Giants were Frankie Cerbone, Ben DiSanto and MacNeill and combining for the Mariners were Mike Biondo, Nathan Grimley, Silva and Dan Vigneau.

Cardinals 10, Brewers 9

In Junior League baseball the Cardinals beat the first place Brewers in a roller coaster game Tuesday night. The Cards led off in the first with four runs on hits by Carl Lentini and Mike Enwright. The Brewers came back with one run on a double and an rbi by Kyle Lunt. The Cardinals scored two more in the third, two in the fourth and two in the fifth on great hitting by Bemis, Vallenti, Good, Fitzpatrick, Tello, Daily, Matt Bibeau and Borsetti.

The Brewers came back with four runs in the fifth thanks to Mike Denufrio, Steve McIsaac, Justin Lodgidge, and Kyle Lunt.

The Cardinals were shut out in the sixth but maintained a lead of 10-5. In the last of the sixth, the Brewers rallied and came back, plating four thanks to Rob McIsaac, Jon Kincaid, John Lyons.

Justin Lodgidge who, with the tying run on third base and two outs, hit a mile high fly ball to deep right center which was caught to end the game and preserve the win for the Cardinals, 10-9.

Padres 20, Cubs 17

Wednesday night one of the most exciting games of the year was played as the Cubs battled the Padres for seven innings before losing 20 to 17. Lauren Spinale pitched a complete game for the Cubs in a losing effort, while Michelle White pitched for the Padres. The highlight reel play of the game was made by Elizabeth Jaeschke, as the Cubs were in the lead, and threatening for more.

The bases were loaded with two outs and Nicole Vigneau, already with two hits, slapped a line shot to right field. Elizabeth quickly moved to her right to snare the liner. This inspired her teammates who stormed back and took the lead. The Cubs tied it in the bottom of the sixth but could not duplicate the feat in the seventh as fine defensive plays snuffed out the rally.

A league action

Pitching was the name of the game when the Rangers and Diamondbacks hooked up in Wilmington-A 9 year old action, with the Rangers eking out a 3-2 win in a nail biter. For the Diamondbacks, Mike Mullins, Eric Hamilton, and Danny Keane all used a variety of speeds in their combined 4 innings of work to hold the Rangers at bay.

The Rangers after scoring a single run in the 1st inning, were held scoreless until the 4th when they broke through for the decisive 2 run rally. It consisted of a Nick Whalen double, Jackie Mulrenan single, 2 walks, a hit batter, and a single by JB

Thompson.

Trevor Foley had a double and single for the Rangers earlier in the game. Vinny Scifo then came on to pitch the last 2 innings for the D-backs. He was very impressive as he struck out 5 in his 2 innings of work.

The Rangers pitchers were equally impressive. Mike Ciampa started and gave up one run while striking out 4 in his two innings. He also had the defensive gem of the day from shortstop, with a diving catch of a low popup over pitchers mound in the last inning, with no outs and a runner on 1st. Ian Haggerty also struck out 4 in two innings of work, and Nick Whalen played the closer role with a superlative 2 innings of work himself.

In Wilmington A Little League action the Giants and Rangers hooked up in a barn burner at Glen Rd. The Rangers took a 1-0 lead in the top of the 1st and held it until the 4th when the Giants broke thru with 4 runs to take a 4-1 lead. The Rangers stormed back with a 5 run 5th on the way to a 7-5 victory.

The Giants got outstanding pitching from Dylan Champey, Jesse Levorere, Ben DeSanto, and Lucas McNeill. All four kept the explosive Rangers pretty much at bay during their 4 innings of work. Offensively, Killian Smith swung the hot stick as he cracked 2 doubles. Dillon Champey, Joe Spinale, Joe Anderson, and Matt Costello also swung the bat well.

The Rangers also got fine pitching performances from their 3 pitchers in their 4 innings of work. Pat Magliano threw the ball very well in his 2 scoreless innings, while Jackie Mulrenan and Adam Siegel each were impressive in their stints on the mound. The offensive attack was led by Nick Whalen, Mike Ciampa, JB Thompson, and Adam Siegel with 2 hits each. Stevie Ciampa at catcher was very strong as he caught the entire game backthere handling each pitchers various speeds flawlessly.

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PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 41, Section 81-T and 81-U, the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 1, 2003 at 8:15 p.m. in Room 9, Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA on the application of Northeastern Development Corporation, 20 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, MA, 01887 concerning the Site Plan Review entitled: "Amendment to Site Plan, 298 Main Street, Wilmington, MA" prepared for Northeastern Development Corporation dated: April 24, 2003; Scale: 1"=20'; Engineer: Andover Consultants, Inc., 1 East River Place, Methuen, MA. 01844; located at 298 Main Street and shown as Assessor's Map 43 Parcel 9. The amendments to the previously approved site plan are to reduce the foot print as well as the total building square footage and to reconfigure the site plan to accommodate a bank facility with drive-up services.

A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning and Conservation Department, and may be inspected during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Any person interested, or wishing to be heard on the proposed plan, should appear at the time and place designated.

Michael Sorrentino, Chair
Wilmington
J11,18;3364 Planning Board

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF APPEALS

A public hearing will be held at the Town Hall, 121 Glen Road on July 7, 2003 at 7:00 p.m. on the following applications:

Case 51-2003
Sprint Spectrum LP to acquire a Special Permit in accordance with Sec. 6.8 for a Wireless Communications Facility for property located on 26 Upton Drive. Map R1 Parcel 18G.

Case 52-2003
Eric Kwiatkowski seeking a determination by The Board under Sec. 6.1.2.1 of the Wilmington Zoning Bylaw that is proposed alteration to a nonconforming structure does not increase any portion of the nonconforming nature of the existing structure (existing dwelling is within the front and side yard setback-proposing a second floor addition and replacing side deck) for property located on 109 Federal Street. Map 62 Parcel 48.

Case 53-2003
Amy & Ricardo Wong seeking a determination by The Board under Sec. 6.1.2.1 of the Wilmington Zoning Bylaw that a proposed alteration to a nonconforming structure does not increase any portion of the non-

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NOTICE OF PETITION
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To all persons interested in the above captioned matter, a petition has been presented praying that Vera Scolastico of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex and Thomas Scolastico of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex be appointed guardian of the person of David Scolastico of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, a minor child, to serve without surety.

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WITNESS, HON. BEVERLY WEINGER BOORSTEIN ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge this day, May 19, 2003.

John R. Buonomo
J18;3399 Register of Probate

conforming nature of the existing structure (existing dwelling is within the front yard setback-proposing a second story addition) for property located on 22 Belmont Avenue. Map 41 Parcel 19.

Case 54-2003
Ronald Judkins seeking a determination by The Board under Sec. 6.1.2.1 of the Wilmington Zoning Bylaw that is a proposed alteration to a nonconforming structure does not increase any portion of the nonconforming nature of the existing structure (existing lot has insufficient area and width-proposing an addition meeting the setback requirements) for property located on 24 Liberty Street. Map 77 Parcels 24A.

Case 55-2003
Chris & Veronica Diorio to acquire a variance from Standard Dimensional Regulations (Table II) Sec. 5.2.4 and Sec. 9.6 for a farmers porch to be 37 feet from the front lot line when 40 feet is required for property located on 6 Castle Drive. Map 107 Parcel 29.

Case 56-2003
Subway (Sixpack Investments) to acquire a Special Permit in accordance with Sec. 3.5.4 Limited Service Restaurant for property located on 285 Main Street. Map 43 Parcel 2.

Case 57-2003
Suzanne K. Kenney to acquire a Special Permit in accordance with Sec. 4.2 for an Accessory Apartment for property located on 6 Allen Park Drive. Map 49 Parcel 205.

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Contract documents and plans will be mailed upon request and receipt of a separate non-refundable check made out to Tutela Engineering Associates, Inc. for \$35.00 to cover handling and mailing costs (U.S. Postal Service Next Day Mail only).

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A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning and Conservation Department, and may be inspected during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Any person interested, or wishing to be heard on the proposed plan, should appear at the time and place designated.

Michael Sorrentino, Chair
Wilmington
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In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 41, Section 81-T and 81-U, the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 1, 2003 at 8:15 p.m. in Room 9, Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA on the application of Wilmington Parcel II, LLC, 1115 Westford Street, 4th Floor, Lowell, MA 01851 concerning the Definitive Subdivision Plan entitled: "Definitive Subdivision Marjorie Road Extension in Wilmington, Mass." dated: December 20, 2002; Scale 1"=40'; Engineer: Noonan & McDowell, Inc.; 25 Bridge Street, Suite 6, Billerica, MA 01821; located on Marjorie Road and shown as Assessor's Map 70 Part of Parcel 101A. The proposed subdivision contains two (2) lots.

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Michael Sorrentino, Chair
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Town of Tewksbury
David G. Cressman
J18;3363 Town Manager

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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on June 26, 2003 at 8:45 PM in the Tewksbury Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by Robert and Julie Cofer, Jr. for a variance from the Zoning ByLaw, Section 4130, Table of Dimensional Requirements, Appendix B and a Special Permit under Section 3651 of the Zoning Bylaw to construct a second floor addition above the garage, farmer's porch to the existing dwelling and to increase the existing non-conforming structure. Premises located at 7 Coburn Avenue, Assessor's Map 58, Lot 62, zoned Residential.

Steven J. Sadwick,
J11,18;3370 Director

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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

BOARD OF APPEALS
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Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on June 26, 2003 at 8:00 PM in the Tewksbury Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by Kevin and Janice Stuart for a variance from the Zoning ByLaw, Section 4130, Table of Dimensional Requirements, Appendix B to allow the existing garage to remain 2.42 feet from the sideline. Premises located at 109 Rogers Street, Assessor's Map 34, Lot 84, zoned Residential.

Steven J. Sadwick,
J11,18;3377 Director

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Docket No. 95P3745AP
NOTICE

To all persons interested in the estate of Amanda Marie Jackson also known as A. Marie Jackson late of Tewksbury in the County of Middlesex.

A petition has been presented to said Court by James A. McAvoy, Junior administrator with the will annexed of the above said estate praying for authority to adjust by compromise or arbitration a demand against said estate.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge on or before 10:00 a.m. on July 24, 2003.

WITNESS, Beverly Weinger Boorstein, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge, the twelfth day of June in the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Three.

John R. Buonomo
J18;3400 Register of Probate

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on June 26, 2003 at 8:30 PM in the Tewksbury Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by James B. and Cheryl A. Tarpey for a variance from the Zoning ByLaw, Section 4130, Table of Dimensional Requirements, Appendix B to allow construction of a 25' x 5' enclosed farmer's porch to be approximately 20.6' from the street. Premises located at 60 Bay State Avenue, Assessor's Map 83, Lot 156, zoned Residential.

Steven J. Sadwick,
J11,18;3372 Director

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF TEWKSBURY

BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on June 26, 2003 at 8:10 PM in the Tewksbury Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by Brian McMahon for a special permit under Section 3651 of the Zoning ByLaw to construct a second story addition above the garage and to increase the existing non-conforming structure. Premises located at 20 Second Street, Assessor's Map 81, Lot 233, zoned Residential.

Steven J. Sadwick
J11,18;3375 Director

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY
COURT DEPARTMENT
Middlesex Division
Docket No. 03P1483EP1

In the Estate of Joseph O. Horth

Late of Tewksbury
In the County of Middlesex
Date of Death February 10, 2003

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL
And Codicil

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will and Codicil of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that John J. Lynch of Lowell in the County of Middlesex be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said court at Cambridge on or before ten o'clock in the forenoon (10:00 AM) on July 14, 2003.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

Witness, Hon. Beverly Weinger Boorstein, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge this day, June 9, 2003.

John R. Buonomo
J18;3394 Register of Probate

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT DEPARTMENT
OF THE TRIAL COURT
(SEAL) Case No. 289472

To
Edward A. Zink, III a/k/a Edward A. Zink as Special Administrator of the Estate of Linda Zink a/k/a Linda L. Zink pursuant to a license granted by the Middlesex Probate Court on September 23, 2002 Docket No. 02P3996AT and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended:

Eastern Savings Bank, fsb claiming to be the holder of mortgage covering real property in Wilmington, numbered 36 Cunningham Street.

given by Edward A. Zink, III a/k/a Edward A. Zink as Special Administrator for the estate of Linda Zink a/k/a Linda L. Zink pursuant to a license granted by the Middlesex Probate Court on September 23, 2002, Docket No. 02P3996AT, to Plaintiff, dated October 28, 2002 and registered with the Middlesex County (Northern District) Registry District of the Land Court as Document No. 208024 and noted on Certificate of Title No. 34977 has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 28th day of July, 2003 or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, Karyn F. Scheier, Chief Justice of said Court this 12th day of June, 2003.

Ann-Marie J. Breuer
J18;3395 Deputy-Recorder

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY
COURT DEPARTMENT
Middlesex Division
Docket No. 03D1446DVI
Order For Service By
Publication

Henry Ruiz, Plaintiff
v.

Donna Durant - Ruiz,
Defendant

Upon motion of plaintiff for an order directing Donna Durant - Ruiz the defendant herein, to appear, plead, or answer, in accordance with Mass.R.Civ. P./Mass. R.Dom.Rel.P. Rule 4, it appearing to the Court that this is an action for divorce.

Pursuant to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411, an Automatic Restraining Order has been entered against the above named parties, and that the said defendant cannot be found within the Commonwealth and that his/her present whereabouts are unknown; that personal service on said defendant is therefore not practicable, and that said defendant has not voluntarily appeared in this action:

It is Ordered that said defendant is directed to appear, plead, answer or otherwise move with respect to the complaint herein on or before the 11th day of August, 2003. If you fail to do so this Court will proceed to a hearing and adjudication to this matter.

It is further Ordered that the accompanying summons be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the Town Crier beginning the week of June 2, 2003, a newspaper published in Wilmington (978) 658-2346, the last publication to be 20 days at least before said return day. It is further Ordered that a copy of the summons be mailed to the defendant at his/her last known address by registered or certified mail.

Date: May 15, 2003

Beverly Weinger Boorstein
Justice of Probate
J4,11,18;3353 and Family Court

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY
COURT DEPARTMENT
MIDDLESEX Division
Docket No. 02P3582AD1

In the Estate of
Helen E. Bradley
Late of Wilmington
In the County of Middlesex
Date of Death April 24, 2002

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATRIX

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that Eileen M. Sherman of Needham in the County of Norfolk or some other suitable person be appointed administratrix of said estate to serve without surety.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said court at Cambridge on or before ten o'clock in the forenoon (10:00 AM) on June 27, 2003.

WITNESS, HON. BEVERLY WEINGER BOORSTEIN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge this day, June 16, 2003.

John R. Buonomo
J18;3397 Register of Probate

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY
COURT DEPARTMENT
Middlesex Division
Docket No. 03P2307GM1

In the Matter of Kayleigh Craig of Tewksbury
in the County of Middlesex
NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT OF
GUARDIAN OF MINOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned matter, a petition has been presented praying that Sarah M. Voles of Tewksbury in the County of Middlesex be appointed guardian of the person of Kayleigh Craig of Tewksbury in the County of Middlesex, a minor child, to serve without surety.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said court at Cambridge on or before ten o'clock in the forenoon (10:00 AM) on August 26, 2003.

Witness, Hon. Beverly Weinger Boorstein Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Cambridge this day, June 3, 2003.

John R. Buonomo
J18;3391 Register of Probate

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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



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2003 at 8:40 PM in the Tewksbury
Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main
Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on
an application filed by Michael
and Denise Pantanella for a
Special Permit under Section 3651
of the Zoning ByLaw to construct
a second story addition above the
existing garage and to increase
the existing non-conforming
structure. Premises located at 13
Nightingale Lane, Assessor's Map
58, Lot 17, zoned Residential.

J11,18;3360

Steven J. Sadwick,
Director

LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 41, Section 81-T and 81-U, the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 1, 2003 at 8:45 p.m. in Room 9, Town Hall, 121 Glen Road, Wilmington, MA on the application of Wilmington Parcel II, LLC, 115 Westford Street, 4th Floor, Lowell, MA 01851 concerning the Definitive Subdivision Plan entitled: "Definitive Subdivision Beeching Street Extension in Wilmington, Mass." dated: December 20, 2002; Scale 1"=40'; Engineer: Noonan & McDowell, Inc.; 25 Bridge Street, Suite 6, Billerica, MA 01821; located on Beeching Avenue and shown on Assessor's Map 70 Part of Parcel 101A. The proposed subdivision contains four (4) lots.

A copy of the plan is on file at the Planning and Conservation Department, and may be inspected during the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Any person interested, or wishing to be heard on the proposed plan, should appear at the time and place designated.

Michael Sorrentino, Chair
Wilmington
J11,18;3390 Planning Board



The Wilmington in-town youth soccer team, Mutiny (above) enjoyed a wonderful spring season in which they received trophies for their hard work. Below, Katie McFeeters received the prestigious coaches trophy after playing her last in-town game last Saturday as she'll be going to the high school in the fall. (courtesy photos)

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TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



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2003 at 8:20 PM in the Tewksbury

Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main
Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on
an application filed by Ernest M.
Boudreau for a variance from the
Zoning ByLaw, Section 4130, Table
of Dimensional Requirements, Appendix B which
allows the lot coverage to be only
15 percent. Replace existing
garage with a new garage and
attached breezeway/porch would
be approximately 20 percent of
the lot coverage. Premises located
at 121 Foster Street, Assessor's
Map 58, Lot 84, zoned Residential.
Steven J. Sadwick,
Director
J11,18;3376

LEGAL NOTICE

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS MASSACHUSETTS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held
by MassHighway to discuss the
proposed safety improvements
for the Wilmington - I-93/Rt. 125
@ Ballardvale Street Interchange
Improvement Project.

WHERE: Wilmington Town
Hall

Town Hall Auditorium
121 Glen Road
Wilmington, Massachusetts

WHEN: Monday, June 30, 2003
at 7:00 P.M.

PURPOSE: The Hearing is to
be held to provide the public with
the opportunity of becoming fully
acquainted with the 25 percent
Design Submission. All views and
comments made at this Hearing
will be reviewed and considered
to the maximum extent possible.

PROPOSAL: The purpose of
this project is to improve traffic
operations, reduce congestion,
and improve safety. The I-93/Route 125/Ballardvale Street
Interchange Improvement
Project was advanced through
the Environmental Assessment
and Impact Report (EA/EIR)
phase. The Preferred Alternative
and an Early Action Alternative
have been advanced through 25
percent design.

The project will reconstruct and
signalize the I-93 southbound off-
ramp, construct a new on-ramp
from Route 125 to I-93 north-
bound, grade separate Route 125
and Ballardvale Street, recon-
struct the southerly portion of
Ballardvale Street at Route 125,
and construct a new lane from
Ballardvale Street to the new on-
ramp to I-93 northbound. In addi-

tion proper shoulder widths will
be constructed along with a new
storm drainage system, signage,
and pavement markings.

In response to public comments
received during the EA/EIR
review, MassHighway also
proposes to advance a section of
the project as an Early Action
Alternative. The Early Action
will include the construction of
the new on-ramp from Route 125
westbound to I-93 northbound and
the reconstruction and signaliza-
tion of the I-93 southbound off-
ramp.

A secure right-of-way will be
necessary for this project.
Acquisitions in fee and perma-
nent or temporary easements
may be required. MassHighway
will be responsible for acquiring
all needed rights in private or
public lands. MassHighway's policy
concerning land acquisitions
will be discussed at this hearing.

Written views received by the
Department and subsequent to
the date of notice and up to five
(5) days before the date of the
hearing will be displayed for public
inspection and copying at the
time and date listed above.

Written statements and other
exhibits in place of, or in addition
to oral testimony at the Public
Hearing regarding the proposed
undertaking, are to be submitted
to Thomas F. Broderick, P.E.,
Chief Engineer, MassHighway
Department, 10 Park Plaza,
Boston, MA 02116. Such submis-
sions will be accepted at the
hearing. The final date for the
receipt of these statements and
exhibits will be ten (10) days
after this public hearing.

The plans will be on display
with an engineer in attendance at
the Town Hall Auditorium from
6:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. on the date
of the hearing.

John Coglianò
Commissioner
Thomas F. Broderick, P.E.
J11,18;3358 Chief Engineer

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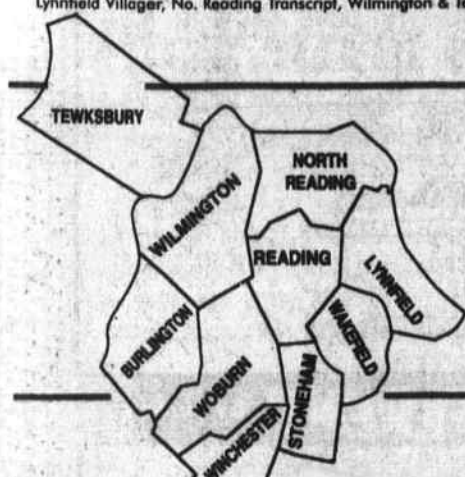
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IN TEWKSBURY Air and Space Day Saturday

SPACE DAY

"All the money goes back to the kids"

By JOE HAGGERTY

AIR AND SPACE DAY will take place this Saturday from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Livingston Recreational Field in Tewksbury. Tewksbury resident and self-proclaimed "space and aviation fanatic" Paul Manning (at left) organized the event. Manning hopes to fund an observatory in Tewksbury with this year's proceeds.

It all started with one man's dream to grab the stars in the sky, and bring them down within reach for a town full of inquisitive young minds-and now it has exploded into a town-wide event in Tewksbury that is expected to draw somewhere between 6,000-10,000 people.

The "event" is Air and Space Day planned for June 21 (10 a.m.-6 p.m.) at the Livingston Recreational Field in Tewksbury, and the aforementioned one man is Tewksbury resident and self-proclaimed "space and aviation fanatic" Paul Manning.

"The space program was in full swing in the sixties, and both my dad and myself were into space and aviation," Manning, who is an artist/illustrator for Raytheon working on the Patriot Missile Program. "I used to take oatmeal boxes and make a Saturn Five out of them, and then put it on display for my sixth grade class."

Among the notable guests who will attend the event are Gemini 11/Apollo 12 astronaut Dick Gordon, world famous astronomer John Dobson, and the American debut of the "Patriot", an 18 story high hot air balloon in the form of a space shuttle.

Manning founded A&S Day three years ago as a giant aviation-based fund-raiser to purchase an inflatable planetarium for schoolchildren in Tewksbury.

"Five years ago I saw a poster of the solar system in my daughter's fifth grade class, and I told the teacher that I collect space memorabilia and she said 'If you know the subject, you should come in and teach it,'" said Manning. "So every Friday I have off from Raytheon, I go in and help teach classes in different schools from Chester, N.H. all the way to Rhode Island."

"Once I started teaching and saw the kids getting really excited about space I decided I wanted to help bring it to the masses," added Manning.

The stargazer then approached the Tewksbury Board of Selectmen three years ago with an event called Space Day that boasted 18 different aeronautic exhibits and Space Shuttle Astronaut Hank Hartsfield.

"We had about 3,300 people attend that event, and we had raised enough money (\$9,000) through concessions and donations to buy the town a StarLab portable planetarium," said Manning. "The entire event is non-profit, and all the money goes back to the kids."

With the kids in mind, Manning has hatched an ambitious plan to fund an observatory and high-powered telescope in Tewksbury with this year's proceeds.

According to Manning, Space Day raised \$9,000 toward the purchase of the \$12,000 StarLab Planetarium. A school grant through the science department supplied the additional funds needed to purchase the inflatable star room.

The planned observatory, a 12 foot in diameter, 10 foot high structure will contain a 14 inch Mead telescope to aid in gazing at planets, stars and the occasional comet. The cost is an estimated \$14,000 and Manning expects to raise the funds strictly through concessions at the one day event.

"The observatory will be open to all the surrounding, so any kids from Stoneham, Woburn, Reading, Wilmington

or anywhere can come and learn a little about the sky," said Manning. "If students at school want to do an astronomy project, they will have access to the dome."

"This sounds wrong but, sports gets a big play everywhere and scholastics does not," said Manning, who also mentioned officials from nine colleges will be attending the event. "I want to get kids off the computers and maybe they can join the Civil Air Patrol or the ROTC."

In 2001, Manning and company celebrated Grand Rocket Day in which the little town of Tewksbury got into the Guinness Book of World Records for launching 1,132 rockets in one day.

The event took a hiatus last year, but "we skipped a year and now we're back" said Manning.

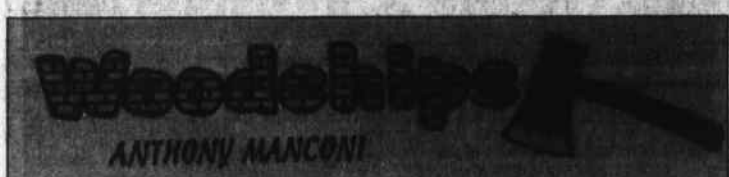
"We're up to 80 exhibits this year from the original 18 of three years ago," said Manning. "We have the world's largest hot air balloon at 180 feet high. It's in the shape of the space shuttle, and it dwarfs the real space shuttle by some 60 feet."

"It's amazing," said a positively glowing Manning.

Apollo 12 astronaut Dick Gordon will preside over the proceedings, and represents one of our few remaining links to our Space Race past.

"There are very few Apollo astronauts that are still touring

pace Day to S-4



Bob Burns was coming out of the Woburn Elks Lodge when he met a man walking what looked like an Irish Setter on a leash. "What breed is that dog mister?" Bob asked. The poor guy must have had a bad day because he snapped back, "he's part Irish Setter and part monkey!"

Without blinking an eye, Bob replied, "Gee, fancy that, he's related to both of us!"

"Eternity" is paying for a new car on the installment plan...Fire Chiefs have a sense of humor too you know - like Chief Arnold. "Clinker" Lydenberg who told me that the "Short sleeve shirt" was invented by a member of the American Rifle Association. They of course, advocate and endorse the right to, "Bare Arms."

Folks, I'll wait until my Aunt Nora gets back - she had to take a couple of aspirins after reading that gem...

After singing several

hymns, the clergyman told the congregation, "that was beautiful singing-now-let's all turn to Number 10 in our wallets..."

A mama mosquito said to her young family, "if you are good today I'll take you with me to a Nudist Camp tonight!"...Folks, there isn't anything worth worrying about. The only realities are, "Sunrise" and "Sunset." Without them, everything in between is, "Unimportant!"

Officer Kevin Fisher rang my doorbell several times before Kathy answered it saying, "Well, what the heck to you want? I'm busy practicing my piano lessons." "Okay," replied Kevin, "But we got a call that someone named 'Beethoven' is being murdered in this house!"

When George Goule was a letter carrier in Reading he noticed a young boy trying desperately to reach a doorbell button on a house near Reading Square. George went

up the steps and said, "Here, let me help you kid." He gave the doorbell button a generous push and said, "Okay, kid?" "Yeah - gee thanks mister, now let's run like hell!"

Bill McGarr said to me, "Okay Chipper, if you came here to forget - please PAY when served."...Things that BUG me, Cash back, Roll back and rebate gimmicks. Why don't they do business the old fashioned way and sell at a lower price?...

Folks, invariably the man who boasts that he never made a mistake, has a wife who unfortunately did...An apprentice barber asked Al Pizzane, "what would you like to see on your face after I'm through shaving you?" A nervous Al replied, "MY NOSE!"

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Middleton composes "The Big Time"

John A. Middleton, newly appointed Music Coordinator for the school district, has composed sixteen songs for the score of a new musical. Middleton has collaborated with colleague Wendy E. Smith, choreographer of numerous Burlington High School musicals, to produce and publish *The BIG Time* incorporates jazz, rock, ballads, hip-hop, Latin, techno, classical and big band numbers

to be performed by a live orchestra.

Middleton and Smith have been working on crafting the show for over a year. Both dreamed of writing their own musical for many years. Smith has created the book and the lyrics of the show while Middleton has composed the music. "The entire process was a team effort," said Middleton.

"It is Wendy's spirit and high energy that kept the project moving forward," credits Middleton in his usual laid-back way. "I enjoyed the challenge of composing popular music, mixed with jazz and classical," he continues. "I guarantee no one will be bored, there is so much variety in the music and characters. We have everything from a Stomp type number to 80s rock, techno, rap, swing, meringue, and much more. Truly something for everyone."

The musical features 32 actors and singers from throughout the Greater Boston region including recent Burlington High School graduates Taylor Bettinson, Nitin Chopra, Caitlin DiMare and Michael Leach. The four students have all been very active in the Burlington High School music department.

Middleton has put together a demo CD of *The BIG Time* score with the assistance of Burlington Music teacher Matt Lovell, high school band director Jack Butler and Steven

Correia, a former music coordinator and current jazz band director and teacher at Francis Wyman School. Using the equipment in the newly renovated music lab, the local musicians practiced, recorded, and burned their own CDs of this original work, which will be used to promote the show.

The BIG time will be presented on July 11, 12, 25 and 26, at 8 p.m. at the Rogers Center for Performing Arts, Merrimack College, North Andover. Tickets are \$15 and available by calling 978-521-4458 or at the box office the night performance. For more information visit www.thebigtime.net.

Streetcar Museum opens in Lowell

The National Streetcar Museum at Lowell, a newly established satellite of the Seashore Trolley Museum in Kennebunkport, Maine celebrates its official grand opening on Saturday, June 28. The museum's inaugural exhibit, *On Track: Transit in the American City, In Lowell and Across America*, presents the history of public transit in Lowell within the context of the broader American transit story.

Opening day for the new National Streetcar Museum at Lowell, which is located in the Mack Building at 25 Shattuck St. in downtown Lowell, will be launched with a ribbon cutting



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ceremony at 11 a.m. The public is invited to join in the opening day festivities, which will run from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The fun and excitement of a trolley era town fair will be recreated in the Mack Plaza with a barbershop quartet, free popcorn, balloons and old-time root beer.

Visitors can tour the exhibit, *On Track: Transit in the American City*, or take a five-cent trolley ride on an original New Orleans Streetcar brought to Lowell from Seashore's pre-eminent streetcar collection in Kennebunkport, Maine.

Admission to the Museum is \$2 for adults and \$1 for seniors and children 12 and under.

Regular hours of operation for the museum and trolley tours will be Thursday through Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. beginning June 28. For further information, call the Museum at 978-275-1821.

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Mystic players Chairperson, Ed DeVenne of Reading invites local residents to come and meet those dancin' feet as they audition for the Mystic Players' production of 42nd Street! Steve Flynn will be, once again directing for the Mystic Players.

Auditions for interested performers ages 16 and over will be held on June 23 and 24 at 7 p.m. with call backs June 25 at the West Medford Congregational Church 400 High Street, W. Medford.

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Please come prepared to sing and dance and don't forget your tap shoes! Dancers are requested to wear appropriate attire and footwear.

Performance dates are September 18-21, at the Chevalier Theatre, 30 Forest St., Medford. Ticket info will be available soon on the Mystic players Web site www.mystic-players.org.

Local horseman is highlighted in book

Horse Tales for the Soul, Volume Four is the newest in the very successful series of books from respected author/national speaker, trainer/teacher and horseman, Bonnie Marlewski-Probert. "I couldn't be more pleased with the success of volumes one, two and three." Said Bonnie. "The Horse Tales books are really about life lessons and the Horse is the basis of each of the stories."

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Of the hundreds of stories submitted for consideration, local resident and horseman Laine Raia's story "CAUTION! Attack Horse!" made the cut! It is a wonderful, true story that will have you howling with laughter one minute, and shedding a few tears the next. Laine Raia is the owner and proprietor of The Ponderaia, a boarding/leasing facility in North Reading, Massachusetts. The Ponderaia, a takeoff on the old Ponderosa TV cowboy show, focuses on the adult rider and has been awarded the Massachusetts Farm Bureau Horse Farm of Distinction Designation, which recognizes excellence in the industry for 2000-2001-2002-2003. In addition to running a top-notch horse facility, Laine is also a gifted writer.

Reunions Classmates Are Getting Together

Middlesex East Publications will publish local "Reunion Notices on a regular basis. Send information including School name, Date of Reunion, Reunion location, and name and phone number of contact person to: Middlesex East, P.O. Box 240, Reading, 01867.

Reunions to 5-4

About the Towns

by Phyllis Nissen

MAKING HISTORY: EISENHAURES TO JACK WEBB

Green space gets green light in North Reading

"Town Meeting voted unanimously to approve an article to establish a large, approximately 100 acre park at Eisenhaures Pond and empower the town to move forward in a positive way to acquire the needed properties," notes the "North Reading Transcript."

"Moderator Klaus Kubierschky, an abutter of the proposed park, stepped down during consideration of the article to avoid even the appearance of a conflict of interest. Robert Mauceri was elected temporary moderator in his place.

"The motion approved by the voters was crafted by Town Counsel and State Rep. Brad Jones Jr.'s office and requires the issue to come back to a future town meeting for another vote of authorization.

"Acquiring the needed property at Eisenhaures Pond is proposed to be funded by the sale of two town land parcels on Marblehead St. One of these parcels is under the control of the Conservation Commission and legislative approval is needed for the town to sell conservation land.

"As a result of the vote, Jones will bring forward the legislation to provide for the sale as a governor's bill. This will allow the park plan to move forward in a positive way and allow the park plan to happen.

"There was no appropriation of funds involved and that authorization would have to come back to a later Town Meeting...."

Planning moves ahead in Woburn

"Claudia Leis Bolgen has been elected to serve as the new Chair of the Planning Board after a reorganization meeting at City Hall," notes the Woburn edition of the "Daily Times Chronicle."

"Bolgen, an attorney living in West Woburn, will replace Paul Doherty presiding over the meetings.

"In a second vote, the

board elected member Michael Maher as Vice-Chair.

"Bolgen has also previously served as the chair of the board's ZORC (Zoning Ordinance Review Committee), which was formed after the last Master Plan effort failed and has been looking at the city's zoning codes and ordinances on a section by section basis as problem areas arise...."

It's all in the family in Wilmington

"Last May, many Wilmington High School seniors were huddled over their desks, fighting the cramps in their hands from scribbling vigorously on their final exams to achieve their ultimate goal - graduation," notes the "Wilmington Town Crier."

"Meanwhile, another Wilmington High senior was 865 miles away, completing his own life-long goal, 13 weeks of a gut-wrenching, hardcore transformation from student to soldier.

"Jack Webb, 19, opted to take his diploma early and ship off to Parris Island, South Carolina, eager to begin Marine Corps Recruit Depot, otherwise known as boot camp.

"And if he had it his way, he would have begun basic training at four years old, when the red, white and blue of Old Glory began twinkling in his eyes.

"I wanted to drop out of high school and go to boot camp," says Webb, who enlisted at age 17 in August 2001, just weeks before September 11 and months before Saddam Hussein was placed in the hot seat. "I've wanted to be a Marine since I was four."

"As the war against Iraq ends, this Marine will be busy finding terrorists in other countries. Webb is stationed overseas with the anti-terrorism battalion, where he and 150 other men and women will use their extensive training to guard embassies against violent protesters and raid terrorist cells or training camps.

"We're not going to Iraq unless we have to," says Webb. "We could go to Italy

or Germany, all different places around the world."

"Though his love for the military may have begun at the mere age of four, the young soldier had Marine Corps blood running through his veins before he was even born.

"Webb's grandfather, John J. Maguire, also of Wilmington, served in the Marine Corps in the South Pacific during World War II under the command of famous Marine Lieutenant General Louis 'Chesty' B. Puller...."

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BURLINGTON MALL

Space Day

From S-1

ing," said Manning. "He's been to the moon, and he'll be here." John Dobson, who Manning described as the "father of amateur astronomy", the 84-year-old inventor of the Dobsonian telescope.

"He (Dobson) made it affordable for people like me to get into astronomy," said Manning. "Before that only professionals have the big scopes."

Also attending will be Kurt Newport, a leading oceanographer who has visited the sunken Titanic ruins and who also recovered "Gus Grisholm's Liberty Bell 7 off the sea floor", according to Manning.

"It's all cold calls," said Manning about collecting such an eclectic mix of guests and interactive events. "So many people have heard about...and they have friends at NASA, and the next thing I know I have two more exhibits."

Tuskegee Airman Cliff Reed - a member of the of the 332nd Airborne Division, the first group of black fighter pilots to fly in WW II for the United States Armed Forces - will also be a featured guest.

"We have some really fascinating people to listen to and talk to," said Manning.

In addition to the guests, there will be two skydiving shows, two powered paraglider shows, and Uncle Wiggly Wings will fly overhead and drop 12 dozen parachuted candy bars to the sweet-toothed kids waiting below.

According to Manning, there will also be 16 hot-air balloons leaving at 6 p.m. for a hot-air balloon race.

"The theme is Reach for the Stars," said Manning. "It's all free...it's all for the kids...it's all to teach them that science, math and history are fun."

The event has steadily grown during those five years, and has developed into a destination spot for those taken with celestial bodies, hot-air balloons, astronauts that have done the real "moonwalk", and even model rocket aficionados.

The preparation for the event, of which Manning does the lion's share, has been going on since August 2002.

"I have a small staff of people that help keep me in line because my organizational skills aren't the best in the world," said Manning, of the 10 person Committee that takes care of the prodigious amount of paperwork and red tape involved in a large-scale event.

Among the committee members are Sheila Sartell, Gail and Ralph Bliss, and Carol Muller and Paul's wife, Lynn, who have been instrumental in the planning of Air and Space Day. In addition, there are 201 volunteers expected to work the event.

"The Town gave me permission to do this and donated the police and fire personnel needed, as well as waiving the field permit fees," said Manning,

who also needed to clear something through nearly every governing board in Tewksbury.

According to Manning, Raytheon, Walmart and Constellation New Energy will be sponsoring the event.

For more information, all events are listed at www.space-manning.net.

Reunions

From S-3

Notices will run three times and will be restricted to groups and schools located north of Boston along Routes 93 and 128 corridor.

CLASS OF 1963

Medford High School Class of 1963 will be holding their 40th reunion on Saturday, October 11, 2003. If you would like to attend, please call Nancy Ciampa at 781-273-1858. We are still missing some classmates and would appreciate your help in finding them so we can update our files and continue having these memorable reunions.

CLASS OF 1983

The Woburn High School class of 1983 will be holding its 20th reunion on Saturday, Oct. 18, at the Radisson Hotel in Woburn.

The Reunion Committee is seeking current addresses for all classmates so that invitations can be mailed out.

Please contact Joe Brown with any addresses by sending email to joe@brownphoto.com, by calling 781-553-0594 or mailing to Joe Brown, P.O. Box 2221, Woburn, MA, 01888-0321.

Covey wins Art Competition



GRAND AWARD WINNER - Amy Covey, a Lynnfield High School student, won the top prize in the Sixth Congressional High School Art Competition, hosted by the Montserrat College of Art, Beverly. During an awards ceremony Saturday, March 22, U.S. Postal Service Middlesex-Central District Manager John W. "Mike" Powers III, right, and U.S. Rep. John F. Tierney presented the Lynnfield student with a framed plaque bearing images of Mary Cassatt commemorative postage stamps. Covey's artwork, a self-portrait window painting, will be sent to the United States Capitol Building in Washington D.C., where it will be displayed for one year, along with other district award winners from around the country.

Athletes & Activities

by Paul Feely

SPORTS SHORTS

MIDDLESEX EAST SPORTS WEEKLY TRIVIA QUESTION: What was the first intercollegiate sporting event held in the United States? Answer appears elsewhere in this column.

BURLINGTON'S CHRIS HANAFIN was one of the top scorers in Middlesex league boys lacrosse this spring. He finished in first in the scoring race, with **WOBURN'S RYAN VARNEY** also placing in the top five.

WOBURN'S ANDREA MESSINA has been named the St. Anselm College Female Student Athlete of the Year. She finished the year with a 12-9 record, pitching six shutouts and 17 complete games. Her strikeout to walk ratio is eye-catching.

ing, at 171 strikeouts to just 14 walks. She also finished her career by setting an all-time school record for strikeouts at 666.

The North Reading Baseball School will be conducting its camp during the following one week sessions - June 23-27 and July 7-11. Call Frank Carey at 781-595-5628 for more information.

Need some help on this week's trivia question? It involved a local school.

WILMINGTON HIGH SOFTBALL ACE JACKEE JOYCE recently threw her third no-hitter and 13th shutout of the season.

JEN ROWE of WAKE-FIELD was also a freshman infielder and outfielder for the Curry College softball team this year.

BURLINGTON'S CHRIS PUGLIESE, a sophomore member of the Colby Sawyer College men's tennis team, was recently named to the Commonwealth Conference's All-Conference teams for both singles and doubles.

WILMINGTON'S BRIAN LEBLANC was a junior catcher for the Curry College baseball team this spring. He started in all 25 games he appeared in, and batted .247 (22 for 89) with 15 runs scored and 18 RBI. The team finished with a 14-13 record overall and an 8-4 mark in Commonwealth Coast Conference play.

STONEHAM'S JON NICHOLAS was the top pitcher on the Colby-Sawyer College baseball team this spring. He posted a 6-5 record, and is listed as leading the team's pitching staff in appearances, wins, seven complete games, innings pitched and strikeouts, with 41.

THE COLONIAL ADULT MASTERS SYNCHRONIZED SKATING TEAM is recruiting new

members for the 2003-2004 season. Prior experience on such a team is not needed, but eligible skaters must be age 25 by the preceding July 1. For more information call Team Manager Cheryl Milloy at 781-275-4476.

READING'S MATT WILLIAMS was the captain of the Curry College men's tennis team this spring as a sophomore. He played at #1 Singles and #1 Doubles, and posted a 4-8 overall record in singles matches, and a 5-7 overall record in doubles matches. He was named as a CCC Second Team All-Star in Singles, and named as the team's Most Valuable Player.

WINCHESTER'S J.J. MORRISSEY played a part on the University of Virginia lacrosse team this spring, a team which won the NCAA championship.

ANSWER TO THIS WEEK'S TRIVIA QUESTION: The first intercollegiate sporting event held in the United States was a Harvard-Yale crew race held in August of 1852.

DO YOU KNOW SOMETHING WE DON'T? If you have information about a local athlete that you would like to see appear in this column, please mail it to: Paul Feely, Middlesex East Sports, P.O. Box 240, Reading, Ma., 01867, or call Paul at 781-944-2200 between 7 am and 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday, or fax information at 781-942-0884.

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Although this therapy has proven to be as effective as mastectomy (whole breast removal), it presents a hardship to many women because external radiotherapy involves seven weeks of daily treatments. Many feel this is simply too much time away from home, work, and family.

A breakthrough in breast cancer treatment after lumpectomy that is gaining in popularity is called Accelerated Partial Breast Irradiation (APBI). It involves the insertion of one or several catheters into the lumpectomy site and treating the woman in one week as an outpatient. Most of the radiation is absorbed only a few centimeters from the catheter, which spares the skin, lungs, and healthy breast tissue from unnecessary radiation.

Unfortunately, the procedure must be carried out in a heavily shielded treatment room, which is not widely available especially in community hospitals. These treatment rooms can be very expensive for hospitals to construct.

An alternate method of solving this problem is to use a radioactive source which does

not require a concrete shielded treatment room. One such source is Ytterbium-169, which has lower energy radiation which can use local shielding around the patient and provides the equivalent dose to the tumor cavity.

When this is used, "patients do not develop nausea or hair loss, which is common with chemotherapy," said David Wazer, MD, Professor and Chairman, Departments of Radiation Oncology, Tufts and Brown Universities.

A small public company in Massachusetts, Implant Sciences Corporation (www.implantsciences.com), is presently developing a treatment system using this Ytterbium source and plans to have it FDA-approved and available in hospitals and oncology clinics this year.

According to company CEO Anthony J. Armini, Ph.D., "This lower energy radiation source, Ytterbium, which is fabricated by a proprietary technique, may change the current standard of care, by both reducing the high capital costs to the hospital while significantly increasing the number of healthcare centers that can offer breast brachytherapy treatment."

There are no significant negative side effects from this type of radiation treatment given to the breast.

"Most importantly," says Dr. Wazer, "Accelerated Partial Breast Irradiation allows patients to not only beat cancer but get back to a normal life much sooner."

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A healthy sleep routine provides a multitude of wellness benefits, including sharpened senses, a more radiant appearance and improved immunity; unfortunately, millions of Americans are not getting enough sleep. Actress Sanaa Lathan, star of *Brown Sugar* and the fall 2003 feature *Out of Time*, with Denzel Washington, notes, "A good night's sleep is really what helps me make it through the day. I'm constantly on the go between movie sets and I need to look my best and have lots of energy for long shoots. A night of sound sleep ensures I'm well-rested and energized, ready to face another day."

What can you do when you have trouble falling asleep, or aches and pains keep you tossing and turning?

Becoming more aware of simple lifestyle factors can help make getting a good night's sleep easy, every night. Some quick tips...

- Avoid caffeinated beverages after early afternoon and stay away from alcohol at least two hours before bedtime.

- Take care of your body with daily exercise - but not too close to bedtime, or else you'll

be revved up, not ready for rest.

- Unwind from a long day and prepare yourself for sound sleep with a warm bath.

- Opt for snacks high in calcium and protein, like cheese and nuts. They contain tryptophan, an amino acid that has been shown to promote sleep.

- Put away that to-do list, and give yourself "permission" to get some sound sleep, free from worries or interruptions.

- Go to bed and wake up at the same time every day, even on the weekends. And use the bed for sleep and romance only.

- If you're tossing and turning because of aches and pains, try Tylenol® PM.

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For more information and other tips on sleep and well-being, visit www.tylenolpm.com to download a free "Sleep for Success" Sleep Booklet.

Three area residents receive doctorate

WORCESTER - The University of Massachusetts Medical School, comprising the School of Medicine, the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, and the Graduate School of Nursing, awarded 166 degrees, including three honorary degrees, at its 30th commencement exercises.

The commencement address was given by Sherwin B. Nuland, surgeon, educator and best selling author. Dr. Nuland is a Clinical Professor of Surgery at the Yale School of Medicine and Fellow of the university's Institution for Social and Policy Studies. His book *How We Die: Reflections on Life's Final Chapter* won the national Book Award in 1994 and was a finalist in 1995 for both the Pulitzer Prize and the Book Critics Circle Award.

Three local residents were

included in those receiving degrees as doctors and they were:

Julie E. Baker of North Reading, Andrea Palumbo of Reading and Joseph L. Bouchard of Woburn.

Birth

GARY and JENNIFER MORETTO of Wakefield announce the birth of their son, Garrett Michael Moretto, on May 29, 2003 at Melrose/Wakefield Hospital.

He joins older sister Jenna Katherine Moretto.

Grandparent honors are extended to Charles Moretto of Lighthouse Point, Florida, Peggi Moretto of Wakefield, Joseph Buczynski of North Reading and Beverly Kelly of Newburyport.

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Fresh Air Fund new web site

The Fresh Air Fund has announced the launch of its brand new web site. The new site, www.freshair.org, was designed and created pro bono by iDeutsch, the Internet division of Deutsch Inc. and includes many new features for prospective hosts and supporters, as well as current Fresh Air hosts and volunteers.

What is it like to host a Fresh Air child? Check out 'Fresh Perspectives'. This section of the new web site highlights current Fresh Air host families during their Fresh Air child's visit. Last summer, the fund gave real Fresh Air families journals and disposable cameras and asked them to document their Fresh Air child's visit.

For more information on how to make summer special for a Fresh Air child, call Janet Foley at 508-460-3473, the Fresh Air Fund at 800-367-0003 or visit www.freshair.org.

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Calendar of Events

2 DAY CONFERENCE OF PUPPETRY

The Puppet Showplace Theatre, in partnership with the Boston Area Guild of Puppetry, presents a two day conference on June 25 and 26 that is designed to teach educators, therapists, artists and others the skills needed to use the powerful tool of puppetry in their work.

The 15th annual Puppets:Education Magic (PEM) will be held at the Rogers Center at Merrimack College in Andover on June 25 and 26. PEM is an intensive 2 days of puppetry for educators and others who would like to use puppetry in their classroom or their work.

It includes: workshops for

adults, 2 award winning performances for family audiences, an evening of adult puppetry, a puppetry store with puppets and books for sale, an exhibit, dueling Toy Theater performances, and more. Educators may earn PDP's or graduate credit.

Educators in all areas from schools, museums, libraries, churches, scouting, child care centers, senior centers, special needs, or puppet enthusiasts may register for one or two days by contacting the Puppet Showplace Theatre or printing a registration form from the internet www.youandmepuppets.com. Registration fee ranges from \$175 for the full 2 days to \$90 for 1 day. Lodging is available on campus.

ELDERHOSTEL OFFERS GAINSBOROUGH'S WORKS

This summer Boston area art lovers will have a unique opportunity to view nearly 100 works by 18th century painter Thomas Gainsborough and listen to experts' perspectives on the great British artist's paintings, during a special one day Elderhostel program at the Museum of Fine Arts.

Through exploration of the MFA's remarkable exhibit, Thomas Gainsborough, 1727-1799, and lectures by MFA curators and staff, participants will understand Gainsborough's astonishing artistic growth from early, small scale works to the grand, full length portraits of his maturity. The MFA Gainsborough exhibit is the first in America to provide examples that span the artist's entire career.

The program will be offered on five different dates this summer: June 16, 23, July 14 22 and September 9. A fee of \$84 per person includes access to the museum and exhibit, two 90 minute lectures and lunch.

For more information and to register call Elderhostel toll free 877-426-8056 or visit www.elderhostel.org. **OLD FASHIONED KIDS FAIR**

Kids ages 4-12 are invited to join in a fair planned just for them at Sturbridge Village museum's Education Building, with fun, games, and hands-on activities on Saturday June 28 from noon to 3 p.m. There is a Barnyard Animal Soundalike Contest, hoop rolling on the Common, and paper hat making.

The fee for this event is \$6 per person plus Village admission, which is \$10 for youths

ages 6-15 and no charge for kids under 6. Kids Club members and their families pay only \$3 per person. Re-registration is required.

For further information call 508-347-3362 or 800-SEE-1830 or visit www.osv.org.

FESTIVAL CELEBRATES INDEPENDENCE DAY

When Betsy Ross was sewing the American Flag, do you think she had any idea that she was paving the way for modern day artists and artisans? We can almost say for sure that she didn't, but as we approach it, the 4th of July weekend also offers a time to demonstrate their abilities at the Berkshire Summer Arts Festival. Ranging from painting to glass blowing, wood-working to ceramics, there is sure to be something for everyone in the family.

Held at the Butternut Ski Basin in Great Barrington, on July 4, 5 and 6 the festival will present over 200 jury-selected artists and artisans from around the country to display their fine arts and crafts. With puppet shows for the kids, great food and live music, it is sure to make for a perfect holiday weekend.

The Festival will take place rain or shine. Hours are Friday 11-7:30 followed by the annual Great Barrington Fireworks, Saturday 10-6:30, and Sunday 10-5:30. With no extra charge for the ample parking admission is \$8 per day for adults, \$7 for seniors and \$5 for students. Children under 10 are free. For more information call 1-800-834-9427 or visit www.berkshiresummerartfestival.com.

UPHAM HOUSE 300TH BIRTHDAY GALA

The historic Upham House of Melrose is celebrating a 300 year birthday and everyone is invited to join this once in a lifetime celebration. On Saturday, June 21, an old fashioned clambake, catered by Turners Seafood Restaurant will take center stage under a

tent on the property of the Upham House, located at 253 Upham Street in Melrose.

In addition to the outdoor clambake participants will be welcome inside this rare gem of a home for a guided tour of the museum rooms. This house was built in 1703 and is maintained in a pristine condition with the original chimney.

The cost of the clambake is \$25 and half price for children. The event is subsidized by generous donations from the Melrose Cooperative Bank, Robert Carrier, Melrose Glass, Hutchinson Realty and the Upham Family Society.

Following the clambake on location, the celebration will move to Memorial Hall on Main Street in Melrose for a 6 p.m. event catered by Isabelle's. Adults will be admitted for \$10, children are free. Enjoy piano music, delicious food and a welcoming by the Mayor of Melrose.

Festivities continue with the showing of "The House that Phineas Built" on a 9 foot by 12 foot screen. Speaker, Glen Uminowicz of the Danvers Historical Society will speak at 8 p.m. on the uplifting topic of "Celebrations!" Music will continue until 9:30 p.m.

WATERSHED COUNCIL: ANNUAL PICNIC

On Wednesday, June 25 from 6 p.m. to dusk the Saugus River Watershed will hold its Annual Picnic. The location is the Saugus Iron Works, 244 Central Street, Saugus. From Route 1 take Walnut Street exit in Saugus. Follow signs to Saugus Iron Works.

Welcome the advent of summer by joining Saugus River Watershed Council members and friends for a fun family picnic at the Saugus Iron Works. Bring a picnic supper and blanket and enjoy live music and activities for the

whole family.

Music will be provided by Dave Simmons, Dick Lynch, and friends. Complimentary drinks and desserts will be provided. Guests will relax on the lawn, participate in guided tours of the Iron Works site, and enjoy the natural beauty of the Saugus River. Come join this free event which is open to the general public.

BOSTON HARBOR ISLAND SWIM JULY 18

Olympians and swimming legends alike will join dozens of participants in diving into Boston Harbor to benefit cancer research for the eighth consecutive year on Friday, July 18. The Swim Across America Boston Harbor Island Swim is a 22 mile relay style swim, which starts and ends at Rowes Wharf in downtown Boston.

Swim Across America (SAA) is a non-profit corporation that supports cancer

research at the country's finest hospitals and institutions. The Boston Harbor Island Swim benefits the David B. Perini, Jr., Quality of Life Program at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.

A minimum fundraising pledge of \$1,500 is required to participate in the Swim. For more information or to register, contact Kitty Tetreault at 508-660-1720 or visit www.swimacrossamerica.org.

VOLUNTEER FOR SAMARITANS

The Samaritans of Boston, a non-profit, non-denominational suicide prevention center, seeks volunteers (16 and older) to be trained to help staff telephone befriending services.

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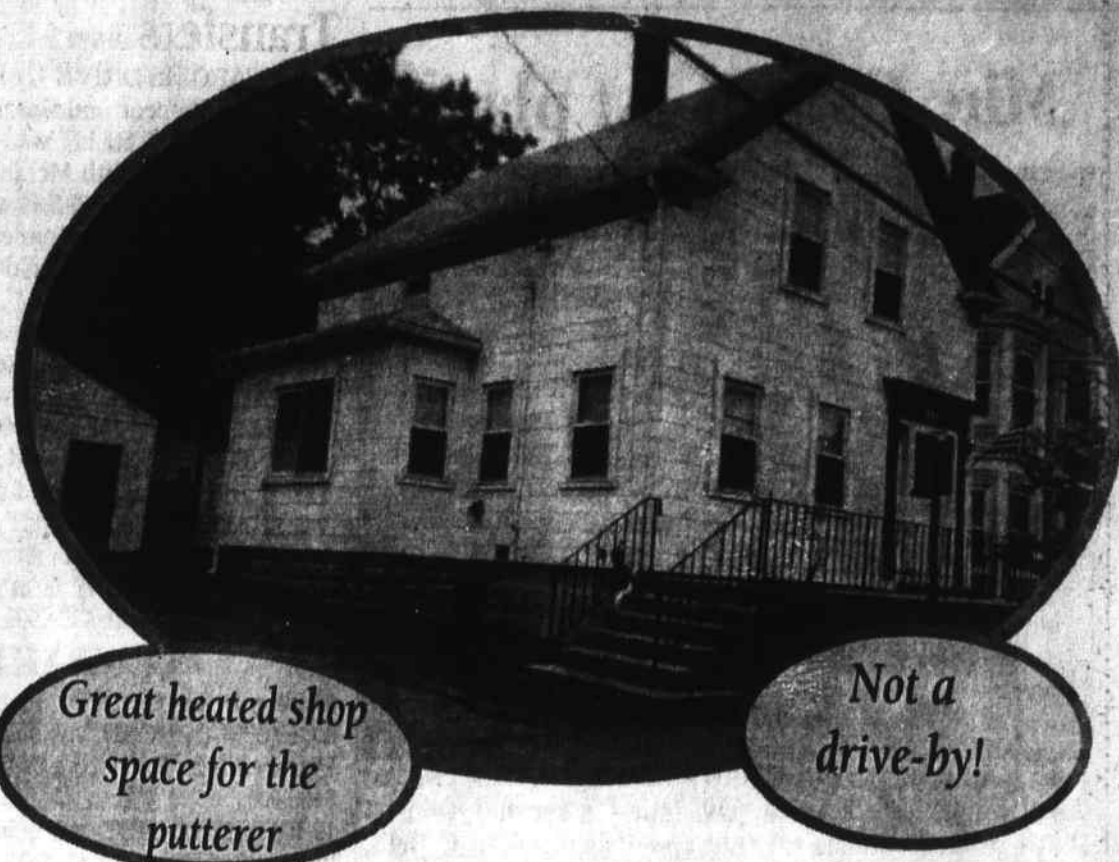
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1 MARGARET STREET was sold to Cheryl Barnes by Robert Cronin for \$226,000.

17 MICHAEL DRIVE was sold to Lorna and Todd Damon by Deborah and Ravi Salgia for \$770,000.

-LYNNFIELD-

Median Price: \$375,000

7 TAPPAN WAY was sold to Daniel Gentile by Kenneth and Stasia Moran for \$610,000.

-NORTH READING-

Median Price: \$300,000

52 ABBOTT ROAD was sold to Anne B. and Anne Mahoney by Mary and Ronald Rogers for \$324,900.

12 FOLEY STREET was sold to Sophia and Kevin Cabral by Christopher Gagnon for \$460,000.

28 MAIN STREET was sold to Cheryl Caron by J&G Rt. and John P. Hayes Tr. for \$145,000.

28 MAIN STREET was sold to Jason Pavey and Cheryl Caron by J&G Rt. and John P. Hayes Tr. for \$144,000.

22 SHADY HILL DRIVE was sold to Margaret and Steven Puglia by Leatrice Martin and Leatrice Laschi for \$500,000.

2 TAYLOR ROAD was sold to Rexford Whitmore by Harold Croft for \$230,000.

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Median Price: \$315,000

58 BEAR HILL ROAD was sold to Douglas Lethin by Angela Binda and Jeffrey Dietz for \$369,900.

42 BERKELEY STREET was sold to Carolyn Koehler-Goldy and Stephen Goldy by Nancy and Roger Wardell for \$400,000.

18 GRANGER AVENUE was sold to Joseph and Kelly Patterson by Frank and Pamela Baggs for \$379,900.

455 GROVE STREET was sold to Bruce and Kelley Kingman by the HB Dev. Corp. for \$444,000.

32 INTERVALE TERRACE was sold to Mary Winn by Mary Winn and Kevin Darcy for \$50,000.

56 PRESCOTT STREET was sold to John MacKenna by Elizabeth Moreno and Jane Darveau for \$650,000.

78 RIVERSIDE DRIVE was sold to Eileen McSherrmanning and Robert Manning Jr. by Bavuso Ft. and Linda Bavuso Tr. for \$512,500.

SYMONDS WAY was sold to Maureen and Robert Deluca by David Maillett for \$310,000.

3 WHITTIER ROAD was sold to Joy and Roger Kruppa by Bruce and Kelley Kingman for \$425,000.

-STONEHAM-

Median Price: \$305,000

22 CEDAR AVENUE was sold to Camillo Fodera by Joe Cunningham Remodeling for \$295,000.

9 GEORGE STREET was sold to Elizabeth Kelly-Selke and Harold Selke by Radf T. and Barbara Deflumeri Tr. for \$412,500.

203 HANCOCK STREET was sold to Melissa and William Ladd by Linda and Robert Little for \$350,000.

19 HANFORD ROAD was sold to Paula and Steven Wilson by 19 Hansford Road Rt. and Cidaliza Mello for \$391,000.

22 LANDERS ROAD was sold to Angelo and Sonia Mangino by Keith and Katherine Torrisi for \$560,900.

100 LEDGEWOOD DRIVE U-314 was sold to Florentino Nt. and John Fitzgerald Tr. by Erin Potter for \$259,900.

40 MAIN STREET U-205 was sold to Patricia and Paul Giallongo by Catherine Marra for \$205,000.

144 MARBLE STREET U-401C was sold to John Marcella and Patricia Sannella by John Lamphner for \$270,000.

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Transfers from S-7

31 DECAROLIS DRIVE U:31 was sold to Mary Ann Benedict by Carrie Spencer and Carrie Lester for \$224,900.
37 DEERING STREET was sold to Peter Bazzinotti by Brian McCarthy and Judith McLatchy for \$250,000.
61 FIELDSTONE CIRCLE was sold to Eileen Hagerty and Francine Capuzzo by Kenneth Dellacroce for \$549,000.
6 JEROME ROAD was sold to Benjamin Morey by George Dixon for \$264,500.
76 PATRICK ROAD U:76 was sold to Lynne and William Baribeault by Brian and Robin Matachun for \$245,000.
174 PATRICK ROAD U:174 was sold to Patricia Morris by Antonio Tollis Jr. for \$249,900.
81 PINE STREET was sold to Alison and Matthew Small by Lewis and Theresa Small for \$387,500.
745 SHAWSEEN STREET was sold to Jessi Mrax by Alexander Gretzsky for \$269,900.
16 STONEBURY WAY U:16 was sold to Barry Puchoff by L&P Prop. LLC for \$359,900.

-WAKEFIELD-

Median Price: \$300,000

8 CHAPMAN ROAD was sold to Lisa Orben and Robert Petruzzelli by Catherine Jalbert and Catherine Orben for \$425,000.
19 EATON STREET was sold to Linda and Steven MacNeill by Cecilia Pierce for \$530,000.
8 EVERETT STREET was sold to Carol Stanislawsk and Carol Encarnacao by Crocker Gladys I Est. and Cynthia Shepard Ad. for \$265,000.
60 FOREST STREET was sold to Jolie O'Brien and Matthew Warren by Lesley Hutt Magarian and Michael Magarian for \$336,000.
45 FRIEND STREET was sold to Regina and Anthony Martine Jr. by M. Arlene Lightbown for \$470,000.
7 LAKESHORE DRIVE was sold to Barbara Pooch-Kiley and Stephen Kiley by Frank Pooch for \$475,000.
239 NAHANT STREET was sold to Regina DiNapoli by F. Michael Nardone Tr. and Stephen Nardone Tr. for \$349,000.
82 RENWICK ROAD U:B was sold to Michael Kane by Joyse and John Berggren for \$212,000.
25 WALTON STREET was sold to Carlos Alberto Silva and Rosemiere Silva by Reed James P. Est. and Patricia Grande Ex. for \$320,000.

-WILMINGTON-

Median Price: \$274,900

132 FEDERAL STREET was sold to Lori and Robert Solon by Carole and Richard Landers for \$181,500.
5 HANSON ROAD was sold to Paul and Sharon Neal by Alexander and Barbara Walsh Quandt for \$399,900.
424 MAIN STREET was sold to Louis Valenti by John Testa Jr. for \$300,000.
563 MAIN STREET was sold to Delia and Michael Sciarra by Alan Altman and Donald Blaisdell for \$186,666.
4 McGRANE ROAD was sold to Anthony and Diana Luongo by Erik and Susan Brenner for \$369,000.
53 MIDDLESEX AVENUE was sold to Katherine and Keith

Torrisi by Ada and Mark Peters for \$449,900.

31 WEST STREET was sold to David and Nancy Sullivan by Triton Construction Management Co. for \$297,900.

-WINCHESTER-

Median Price: \$520,000

7 ARBOR LANE was sold to Lot 4 Arbor Knoll Rt. and

William Scire Tr. by Johnson and Johnson Construction for \$250,000.
11 ARLINGTON STREET was sold to Mfd. Rt. and Maria DiCarlo Tr. by Winchester High Rt. and Cosmo Pascuito Tr. for \$735,000.
18 BORDER STREET was sold to Keith Oliver by Anne Vera for \$350,000.
174 CROSS STREET U:174 was sold to WE. Ent. LLC and David Yi by EWE Ent. LLC for \$427,500.
70 JOHNSON ROAD was sold to Larry Xanthopoloulos and Stavroula Manousos by Richard King and Bonnie Hardy for \$480,000.
50 RICHARDSON STREET was sold to Catherine and Joseph Cornette by Jane and Mary Millyan for \$304,000.
2 SOCRATES WAY was sold to Susan and John Ampe by Joanne Timmouth for \$849,000.
171 SWANSON STREET U:64 was sold to Kathleen Jane Fortin and Patrick Joseph Fortin by Susan and John Ampe for \$390,000.
274 WASHINGTON STREET was sold to Linda McCarthy and Christina Andersen by Carol Curtin for \$276,500.
247 WASHINGTON STREET U:25 was sold to Christina and Sven Andersen by David Cain for \$290,000.
20 WILDWOOD STREET was sold to Edwin and Tanya Steel by Robert and Scott Herrmann for \$750,000.

-WOBURN-

Median Price: \$265,000

25 ARLINGTON ROAD U:23 was sold to Marc Bogojevic and Stephanie O'Shea Bogojevic by Eloise Smith for \$200,000.
31 ARLINGTON ROAD U:16 was sold to Scott and Suzanne Leslie by Leonard and Nancy Larue for \$200,000.
12 BATTLEMARCH WAY was sold to Denise and Peter Regan by Lakshmi and Murali Menon for \$420,000.
201 BEDFORD ROAD was sold to Carol Curtin by Jill Shuman for \$371,000.
29 BRAE CIRCLE was sold to Chad and Jennifer Battaglia by David and Linda Kenepp for \$390,000.
83 BURLINGTON STREET was sold to Kathleen Leland and Michael Benenate by Janet and Joseph Benenate for \$362,000.
91 CAMBRIDGE ROAD was sold to Catherine Marra by Lisa and Stephen Hogan Jr. for \$325,000.
30 CHESTER AVENUE was sold to Brenda and William Mills by Susan and Robert Silva Jr. for \$360,000.
201 MAIN STREET U:8 was sold to Fenhua and Guixi Sun by Paul Wong for \$336,8000.
7 MAPLE AVENUE was sold to Lori and Scott Steelman by Denise Lewis and Peter Regan for \$380,000.
8 MIDDLE STREET was sold to Brian and Kerri Lees by Gerald and Elizabeth Lees for \$374,500.

Transfers to S-9

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Varied roof lines, textures, and an abundance of sparkling glass give an intriguing, inviting look to the Heartfield. Its exterior is a harmonious melding of stone veneer wainscoting and horizontal lap siding capped with shake-textured siding. Slender square posts flank the entry porch and support the roof.

Inside, this is a midsize, basically single-level family home with a bonus room and half-bath filling the attic room over the garage. That room could also be left unfinished, for use as storage space.

Light washes into the vaulted entry through sidelights and a transom. This large vaulted space encompasses the dining room and living room. Boundaries are subtly delineated by square posts and high shelves.

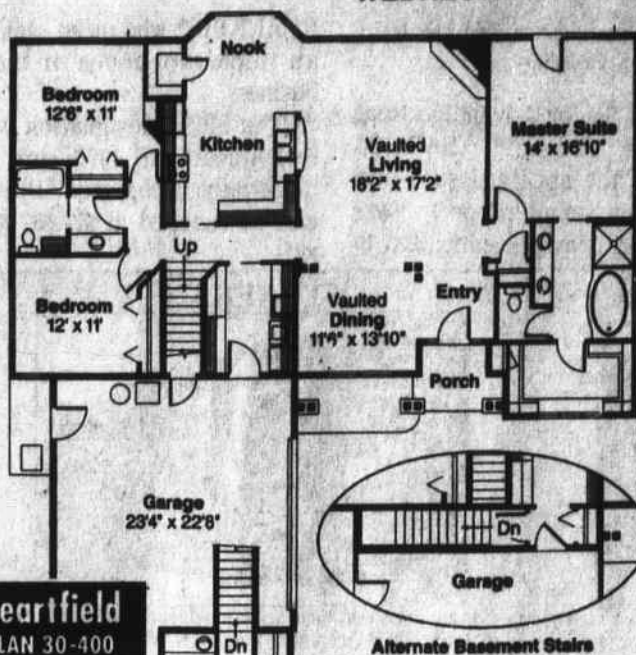
More natural light spills down through an overhead dormer in the entry, and another in the dining room.

A fireplace nestles into a window corner of the living room. An arched display niche graces the wall over the hearth. Across the room, a similar arched opening provides visual access to the kitchen. Its lower edge is rimmed by a raised counter, useful as both an eating bar and handy passthrough for food, drinks, empty dishes, etc.

Sliders in the sunny nook provide access to a large, partially covered patio, ideal for outdoor meals. This roomy kitchen boasts a large walk-in pantry plus a generous supply of cabinets and counters. The nearby utility room has more of both, and can double as a

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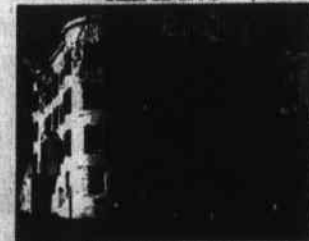
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From S-1

Thank God the idea came from BETHLEHEM!... Tony Zankowski received an invitation to attend a NUDIST WEDDING. Tony sent his REGRETS that he couldn't attend because he didn't have anything to wear... Truthfully Folks, if all the PREACHERS and RUBBISH COLLECTORS want to STRIKE at the same time, WHO or WHOM would YOU and I miss FIRST?...

Ryan Powers reached across the table and got the larger piece of an apple pie, leaving the smaller piece for his brother, Richie. Glaring at his brother, Richie shouted, "YOU are no gentleman. I would have taken the smaller piece." Ryan shouted back, "I don't know what the heck you are complaining about

then - I left the smaller piece for you didn't I?..."

Bob Hope said he grew up in a family with five brothers. He learned to dance waiting his turn to go to the bathroom... Many readers are too young to remember President Calvin Coolidge. He was the SILENT type. A man of very few words saying, "I do not choose to run for a second term." He retired to his farm in Vermont.

When news that he died reached the White House, a newsmen asked, "How can they tell?..."

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My friend Stan Black told

me, "Chipper, I never believed in REINCARNATION UNTIL YESTERDAY. When the 'stop work' whistle blew some of my men MIRACULOUSLY came back to LIFE"... Folks, if we look like our passport pictures, we sure need a VACATION...

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Anthony and Sal Gesamondi, Abner Tomkinson, Jimmy Pottsie Geary, Victoria Spence, Judy Dixon, ALL OF LYNNFIELD.

Alyson Olsen, Michelle Mawn, Dr. David Troughton, Melissa Jenkins, Barbara Stats, ALL OF NORTH READING.

Jen Mariani, Dan Ryan, Erin and Brian O'Shea, Mary Frances Sawyet, John

MacCurtin, ALL OF READING.

Rich O'Donnell, Michael Grady, Arthur and Marie Marino, Connie Grady, Mike Rotandi, ALL OF STONEHAM.

Sgt. Karen E. DeMasi, George and Roberta Brazee, Richard Burns, Christopher Corbin, Samantha Burke, ALL OF TEWKSBURY.

Coach Erica Morse, Kim Conroy, Lauren McMillian, Megan Quinn, Alana Dorney, ALL OF WAKEFIELD.

Rebecca Bouchie, Terence Bolland, Danielle Hodgson, Katie Riley, Sarah Hubbard, ALL OF WILMINGTON.

Coach Gavin Barton, Kim Palumbo, Carly Robinson, Kristen Tripoli, Richie Hamel, ALL OF WINCHESTER.

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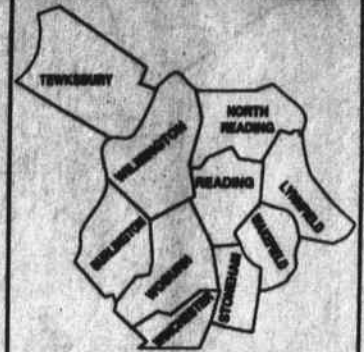
Boswell, Jessica Coughlin, Nicole Grant, ALL OF WOBURN.

DREAMBOATS - Kim Piccolo of BURLINGTON, Sarah Bankoff of LYNNFIELD, Samantha Anderson of NORTH READING, Lauren Mastromardi of READING, Connie Grady of STONEHAM, Jessie Adams of TEWKSBURY, Jenn Rowe of WAKEFIELD, Kristen O'Brien of WILMINGTON, Pam MacKill of WINCHESTER, Mary Ellen Dwyer of WOBURN.

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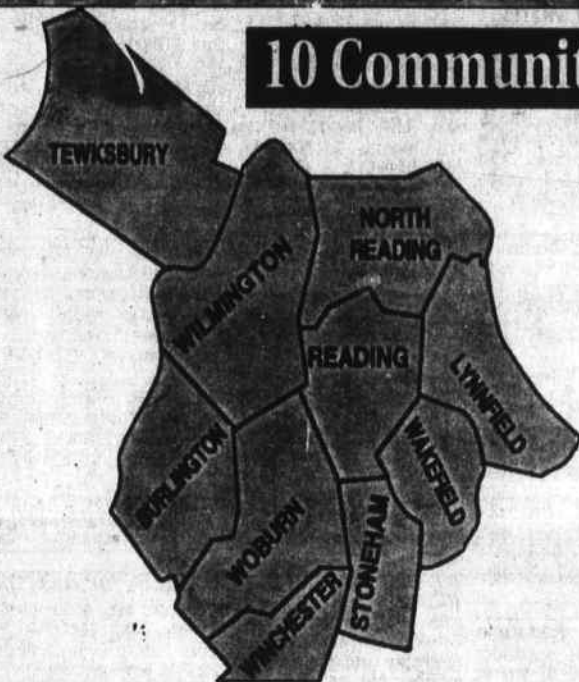
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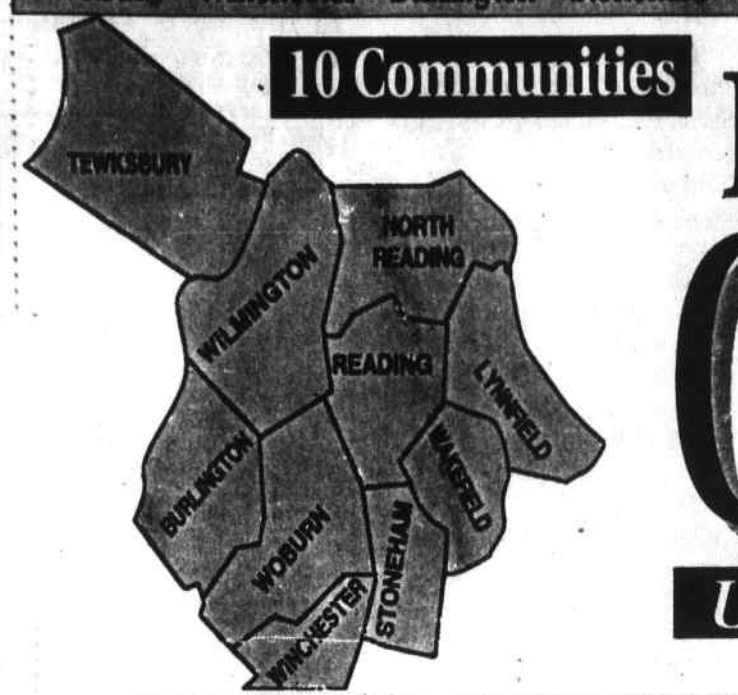
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GENERAL HELP

FIRE ALARM TECHNICIANS

Applicants must hold a valid Massachusetts System Technician (D) or Journeyman (B) License, and must have a minimum of 3-years experience in the Fire Alarm Service industry.

LICENSED ELECTRICIANS, FOREMEN AND SMALL PROJECTS FOREMEN

Give Your Career a Charge!!
You Can Work For the Best
Why Not the Best...

One of New England's fastest growing Fire Alarm Service Contractors is constantly seeking experienced, dedicated, motivated employees to join our team.

Large company capability with a small company, close-knit family culture.

Coming to work for the EDI Team WILL BE THE BEST CONNECTION YOU WILL EVER MAKE.

• Top Wages Paid
• Medical/Dental Insurance
• Life Insurance
• Disability Insurance
• 401K Retirement Plan
• Paid Vacation
• Paid Holidays
• Yearly Merit Raises
• Referral, Safety & Attendance Incentives
• Educational Assistance
• Company Holiday Parties

We care for our employees, their families, your future, career growth and job satisfaction.

Let's grow and prosper TOGETHER!!!

Please call 978-664-1050
to schedule an interview:

ELECTRICAL DYNAMICS, INC.
ABC Accredited Quality Contractor
72-B CONCORD STREET
NORTH READING, MA 01864
Electrical Dynamics, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer

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A.U.L. Listed Fire Alarm Service Contractor

\$\$\$ 500 SIGN ON BONUS \$\$\$

* Truck Driver Position *

Medium size industrial distribution company located in Woburn, MA, seeks energetic individual for non-CDL local driver position. Delivery area includes most of New England. Responsibilities include loading and off-loading delivery trucks, general truck duties, and some general warehouse tasks. Some heavy lifting required. Interested candidates must have a clean driving record, experience driving 18' box trucks, and a D.O.T. card. New England Sign Supply offers a competitive salary including a complete benefit package.

Call David Tettoni @ 781-938-1498
to set up an interview. EOE

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Full Time Parts Counter Person

Looking for an experienced parts counter person. Basic automotive knowledge necessary. Competitive salary.

Please call/apply with
the Parts Manager.

STONEHAM FORD

185 Main St., Rte. 28
Stoneham, MA 02180
781-438-0490

We offer 401k, paid holidays and vacations

Come Join Our MAINTENANCE STAFF

We are a residential real estate company looking to expand our professional maintenance staff. Candidates should possess experience in all phases of building and apartment maintenance. Rotating shifts of on-call duties is required. We offer competitive salary along with medical, dental & 401K plan.

Please fax your employment history with salary requirements to: 781-438-1129

Dispatch/Data Entry

Wilmington based service company seeking a full-time office assistant with computer and dispatching experience and the capability of performing various office tasks. The company offers an excellent benefit package including medical, dental, and 401(k).

Interested applicants please fax a resume to
978-694-1528 or mail to the address below

John's Sewer & Pipe Cleaning, Inc.
P.O. Box 7
Winchester, MA 01890
Phone: 978-658-2811
Fax: 978-694-1528

Warehouse

Person needed with mechanical experience to assemble hyd. components and perform shipping and receiving duties. Competitive pay and benefits including 401K, medical, vacation and sick time.

Fax resume to
610-825-5427
or mail to:
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NEW POSITION FULL TIME SCHEDULING COORDINATOR NEEDED

To work in a well established surgical practice. Duties would include triaging post-op and pre-op questions, working with physicians and patients, along with scheduling patients for surgery. Call 781-395-9617 or fax resumes to 781-391-4515

TEMPORARY DENTAL ASSISTANT

Burlington general practice is seeking a temporary hygienist. Part time or full time hours available through the Summer. Call:
781-272-7076

Dental Assistant Part Time

Winchester orthodontist looking for a dependable, willing to learn, assistant, 8:30 am-5:15 pm
Fax resume to 1-781-729-8719
or call 1-781-729-8180

Receptionist 2 Days a Week

People skills required; desire to participate in active physical therapy office.
Call:
Reading
Physical Therapy
781-944-6564